

GREAT STORM ON NORTH COAST DRIVES SHIP ASHORE

Unknown Steamship in Danger Off Seattle Harbor VERY HIGH WIND Heavy Seas Threaten to Tear Away Railroad at Tillamook

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 30.—All Oregon coast points tonight were in the grip of the first storm of the winter, high winds and rain being generally reported. At North Head, Wash., the wind attained a velocity of sixty miles an hour.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 31.—The lighthouse keeper at West Point, a sandy projection just north of the entrance to Seattle harbor, reported early this morning that a large steamship was aground near there at 12:30. The identity of the vessel has not yet been established.

The light house keeper said he was unable to make out any distinguishing marks on the vessel, which apparently was an ocean-going steamer, outward bound. Neither the wireless station nor any of the steamship offices had received any report of an accident half an hour after the light house keeper made his report.

The only large vessel leaving was the steamer Senator of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company's fleet, which sailed for San Francisco at 11 o'clock last night. The Pacific Coast Company had received no word from the Senator and that vessel is equipped with wireless. It is believed that she was not in trouble.

The light house keeper said the vessel apparently was in no danger although a strong southwest wind was sweeping Puget Sound.

Tears Up Beach

TILLAMOOK, Ore., Oct. 30.—In a raging storm of wind and rain today, a piece of railroad track was torn up by the sea, threatening to prevent the Southern Pacific railroad track along the ocean beach at Barview, twenty-five miles from here, being carried out to sea.

The railroad at that point is built on a fill of rock and today huge seas replaced the capture of the track, hurrying up boulders and debris of various sorts. The track for a distance of a mile was endangered. Tonight the sea had moderated somewhat.

GREEK VICTIMS OF SUBMARINE

Will Protest to Germany—Labor Unions Threaten Strike LONDON, Oct. 30, 3:30 p. m.—A despatch to Reuters' Telegram Company from Athens, says: "The Greek government will protest to Germany against the sinking of the steamer Angheliki. The labor unions at Piræus have decided to strike unless they are guaranteed against the sinking of Greek vessels."

A news agency despatch from Athens Sunday said a German submarine had torpedoed the Greek steamer Angheliki Sunday evening near Piræus while she was taking to Saloniki 350 recruits to the volunteer movement. Fifty of the recruits were reported to have been drowned.

Without Warning?

ATRENS, via London, Oct. 30, 3:35 p. m.—The torpedoing of the Greek steamer Angheliki on Saturday near Piræus, with many Greeks aboard, was carried out without warning, it is stated here. This action is believed to indicate that the capture of Constantia the German submarine have obtained a new supply of benzene, enabling them to resume operations in the Mediterranean.

SECOND REGIMENT TO BE RETURNED HOME IN NOVEMBER

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 30.—Colonel J. J. Barrow, acting adjutant general, returned today from Los Angeles and declared that the Second Regiment will be returned to home cities on November 21 or 22. Work of mustering out of officers of the Second and Fourth Regiments already has begun under direction of Captain H. A. Hanken, U. S. A.

BOTH DEUTSCHLAND AND BREMEN ARE CERTAINLY LOST

GENEVA, Switzerland, via Paris, Oct. 30, 4:10 p. m.—The National Zeitung of Basel prints the following concerning the German submarines Bremen and Deutschland: "Both the Bremen and the Deutschland have been lost—either captured or sunk. The Bremen never reached the United States nor returned. The Deutschland during her second trip across the Atlantic in September under the name Weser was lost in search of the vessel, but found no traces of the vessel. The loss of the two commercial submarines has not yet been officially admitted."

CUBAN CAMPAIGNERS SHOT

HAVANA, Oct. 30.—A group of Conservative entered Mariano's light in an automobile in an attempt to create a demonstration for their candidate. The police attempted to arrest the party and opened fire on them, killing one man and wounding two others.

GENERAL FENG IS VICE PRESIDENT

Has Been Active in China Since Time of Monarchy PEKING, Oct. 30.—General Feng Kuo-Chang, a prominent supporter of President Li Yuan Hung was today elected vice president of the Chinese Republic by parliament.

General Feng Kuo Chang is the governor of Nanking and one of the better known officers of the Chinese military service. He was director of the military council on the Chinese board of war in 1907 and a director in chief of the general staff in 1909. When the revolution broke out against the Manchu dynasty, General Feng Kuo Chang was in command of the First Imperial army at Wo Chang and was successful in recapturing Nan Yang from the revolutionaries in November, 1911. For this he was rewarded with the rank of baron of the second class. Shortly afterward he was recalled to Peking and nominated commander of the Imperial guard. On the establishment of the Chinese republic, the general was appointed chief of the late President Yuan Shi Kai's military council. In 1913 he was appointed commissioner of pacification and took part in the suppression of the rebellion at Nanking in the summer of that year and was present at the recapture of the city by government troops.

CONSULS FEELING PINCH OF PRICES

Life at Official Posts Not What It Was Before WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Urgent need of financial assistance for American consuls officials and clerical assistants in Europe, obliged because of the greatly increased cost of living since the war, to pay three times or more normal peace time prices for food and other necessities, is shown in reports received almost daily by the state department. Almost without exception they show that what was regarded before the war as an attractive compensation for consular employees today is scarcely sufficient to provide food and the bare necessities.

The \$150,000 allowance given by Congress as a war fund to be distributed to consular officers to meet increased demands, has been allotted and the department is now without means of extending further relief. No provision was made for the relief of clerks and other employees and except for a few whose salaries have been increased, no assistance has been given this class and none is possible until Congress provides additional funds. A year ago the department directed consular officers to report on the cost of living at their posts to determine development of the increase. Estimates showed that the \$150,000 would be sufficient then to meet only from 50 to 60 per cent of the actual increased cost to all affected posts. Department records show there are about 600 employees in the European consular service whose salaries are \$1000 a year and less. In most instances these are natives employed as clerks, stenographers or similar positions, whose expenditures are naturally less than those of the American employees. The number of Americans in this grade of employment is estimated at about 150 and they feel most the need of financial assistance. Estimates are being prepared of amounts that will be needed to give the desired assistance to be submitted to Congress probably in December. Nowhere in the war zone has the cost of living not been affected, and in some localities it has increased as much as six times what it was before the war.

ANCIENT CITIES FOUND IN PERU

PANAMA, Oct. 30.—Dr. W. L. Moss of Baltimore, returning from the Harvard expedition into the valley of the Marañon, in Peru, a tributary of the Amazon, reports the discovery in this hitherto unexplored and virtually uninhabited region of two ancient cities. Novel reptiles also was found in the district. Dr. Moss sails today for New York on the Steamer Calamarea.

LODGE BRINGS IN NEW WITNESS ON LUSITANIA NOTE ISSUE

Boston Man Declares Breckinridge Told Him of Postscript WILSON DENIES

Issue of Fact Now Up to Former Assistant War Secretary

PITTSBURGH, Mass., Oct. 30.—Senator Cabot Lodge, in a campaign speech here tonight, read a letter from John Temple Lloyd Jeffries of Boston, in which the writer stated that Henry Breckinridge, former secretary of war, had several times made to him remarks similar to those attributed to him by Dr. Charles H. Bailey of Tufts College, concerning the alleged elimination by President Wilson of a weakening postscript from the "strict accountability" note to Germany.

A letter from Dr. Bailey regarding a conversation he had with Mr. Breckinridge on the subject was read by Senator Lodge at a public meeting Saturday night and the Senator in his address tonight said he presented the letter from Mr. Bailey as additional information. This letter follows: "Dear Senator Lodge: I have noted in Boston papers your remarks concerning President Wilson with a postscript to one of the so-called Lusitania notes. According to the papers, you state that the effect of this postscript was to vitiate the force of the note, or purpose, to inform the imperial German government that vigor displayed in earlier parts of the note was designated for Anglo-American consumption only. According to the press accounts, this postscript was added rather surreptitiously and under star chamber proceedings and was withdrawn only because the few mainly members of the cabinet happened to discover its existence by luck and naturally threatened to turn the government upside down."

"I assure you, sir, I deeply regret being drawn into this affair, but I cannot sit idly by and see you called a liar when I know your statements are true. "My friend Major Breckinridge several times made to me remarks similar to those reported by Professor Bailey. I cannot swear to every minute detail, for my memory is only human; but the general substance of your statement is correct to my personal knowledge."

"As I have telegraphed to Major Breckinridge to tell him of my proposed action, and as his remarks were not secret, and as Professor Bailey has already investigated the matter, I feel obliged to state that I know your statement is true. With regard to Major Breckinridge, he is one of the finest examples of the American gentleman and his distinguished family has been famous for its chivalry in the south for years. His statement also is a true statement any possibility of doubt. "Believe me, dear Senator Lodge, "Yours truly, "John Temple Lloyd Jeffries."

"The writer of this letter, Mr. John Jeffries," Senator Lodge said, "is a member of a very well known family in Boston, a gentleman of honor and of the highest character, and is well known to me personally. The evidence that Mr. Breckinridge made the statement attributed to him about the postscript I therefore think cannot be successfully controverted, and if Mr. Breckinridge made it, it can be absolutely believed. "Mr. Breckinridge has sent one or two telegrams in which he says he is not a secret, and in a very angry manner, which is not important, but he criticizes his own conversation which Dr. Bailey reported as 'backstairs gossip.' He does himself a great injustice by this, because he was a member of the Wilson administration and a most excellent assistant secretary of war. He denies that there was any threat of resignation by Mr. Garrison or others, but he utterly fails to deny the essential point, which was that the postscript was written and that he and Mr. Garrison saw it. Mr. Garrison said yesterday in Washington, 'I am not being interviewed on any subject. I have no statement of any kind to make.' So that he also refused to deny the existence of the postscript, which he certainly would have done if it had been a mere fabrication by Dr. Bailey. Dr. Bailey is a gentleman of the highest character and standing and veracity. I have no doubt that he stated the conversation in substance with absolute truth."

No More to Say

SAN MATEO, Cal., Oct. 30.—When Henry Breckinridge, who arrived here tonight from Del Monte, was informed that President Wilson had termed untrue the statement made by Senator Lodge regarding the Lusitania note, he said: "The President has denied Senator Lodge's statement, I shall have nothing more to say about it."

"NO POSTSCRIPT WAS THOUGHT OF" DECLARES WILSON

LONG BRANCH, N. J., Oct. 30.—President Wilson tonight characterized as "untrue" the statement made by Senator Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts to the effect that the President had considered adding a weakening postscript to his Lusitania note.

The President telegraphed to Walter Lippmann of New York, editor of the New Republic, replying to a message from Lippmann regarding Senator Lodge's statement. The President's telegram follows: "In reply to your telegram, let me say that the statement made by Senator Lodge is untrue. No postscript or amendment to the Lusitania note was ever written or contemplated by me, except such changes that I myself inserted which strengthened and emphasized the protest. It was suggested after the note was ready for transmission that an intimation be conveyed to the German government that a proposal for arbitration would be acceptable, and one member of the cabinet spoke to me about it, but it was never discussed in cabinet meeting and no threat of any revision was ever made, for the very good reason that I rejected the suggestion after giving it such consideration as I thought every proposal deserved which touched so grave a matter. It is inconsistent with the purpose of the note."

"The public is in possession of everything that was said to the German government. (Signed) "WOODROW WILSON."

While in the Dobruja region of Rumania, the Teutonic allies are keeping up their advances on the Transylvania front the Rumanians are still fighting hard in the Prabhova valley and the Jial valley, where fresh gains have been made by them. In the Rotherthurn pass region Berlin records a new success for the Austro-Germans, but admits that southwest of the Szurdok pass the Rumanians have forced the Austro-German columns to fall back.

BRYAN DENIES ANY POSTSCRIPT

Declares That Wilson and Prohibition Will Carry Nebraska OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 30.—William J. Bryan, former secretary of state, denied here tonight that there was any truth in the story that a postscript had been written to the Lusitania note advising the German government that the strong language of the note should not be taken seriously and that later the postscript was withdrawn.

"I take it for granted," Mr. Bryan said, "that the President will deal with the matter as he deems wise, if indeed any attention need be paid to it after Mr. Breckinridge's denial."

Mr. Bryan would make no further comment except to call attention to the fact that "his resignation was not tendered at the time the first Lusitania note, to which the alleged postscript was attached, was written but at the time the second note was written, which was a month later."

WIDOW OF POOR BASQUE HERDER LEAVES MILLION DOLLAR ESTATE

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—Through the filing for probate today of the will of Mrs. Suzanne Alfritz, widow of a California sheep king, is revealed the fact that Alfritz, once a poor Basque sheep herder, before his death occupied the second place in the list of the wealthiest of California that Miller & Lux did to the cattle business. Acquired in California owned by Alfritz is said to extend from Contra Costa county to San Diego.

Half of the million dollar estate of the widow is left to her two granddaughters, George H. P. Alfritz of Oakland, 16 years old, and Yvonne C. S. Alfritz of San Francisco, 13 years old. Several thousand dollars are left to relatives and friends and to charitable institutions, the half million dollar residue being left to the granddaughters in trust, they to have the income until they reach the age of 25 years, after which they will receive the principal, share and share alike. Mrs. Alfritz died in San Francisco October 11, 1916.

CLERK WANTED FOR EMBEZZLING

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—A warrant for the arrest of Anthony Quinn, former clerk of the Donohue-Kelly Building Company of San Francisco, was issued today by the police court here today. Quinn's bonds were set at \$20,000. Quinn, who dropped from sight several weeks ago after his alleged pecuniary losses, was alleged to have been in the city today to be in the east.

RUSSIANS TURN ON GERMANS IN SOUTH RUMANIA

New Offensive Against Pursuing Teutons in Dobrudja RUMANIAN GAINS

Heavy Fighting in Serbia; Changes in North France

PETROGRAD, Oct. 30.—(via London, Oct. 31, 3:50 a. m.)—The Russian, Serbian and Rumanian forces in Dobrudja have assumed the offensive, according to the semi-official news agency's Odessa correspondent.

In a vigorous counter attack launched with huge effectiveness, the Germans facing the French south of the Somme river in France have been able to recapture parts of their former trenches north of Le Malonne and in the region of Blaches. In addition, 412 Frenchmen were made prisoners by the Germans.

To the north of the river, however, both the French and the British succeeded in advancing their lines—the British between Les Bœufs and Morval and the French northwest of Sailly Saillette. In the latter engagement, 60 Germans were captured. While in the Dobruja region of Rumania, the Teutonic allies are keeping up their advances on the Transylvania front the Rumanians are still fighting hard in the Prabhova valley and the Jial valley, where fresh gains have been made by them.

In massed formation the Russians in Volhynia to the west of Pustynny, again endeavored to break the Teutonic line only again to be defeated with heavy casualties, according to Berlin. Another Russian attack east of Szelozov also was repulsed by the Germans. Heavy fighting is still going on at the head of the Cerna river in Serbia, the French and Serbians being engaged there with the Germans and Bulgarians. Berlin reports that all the attacks by the Entente forces in this district thus far, failed. On the Dorian front the British have raided a German-Bulgarian position, inflicting considerable casualties on the occupants of the trenches.

JOHNSON SPEAKS TO BIG AUDIENCE

Will Represent People in Senate As He Has in State (Special to the Republican.)

ALABAMA, Oct. 30.—Governor William W. Johnson, visiting the capital city in his campaign for United States senator, found, as has been his experience throughout his campaign, a packed meeting at the Haight school auditorium, with hundreds standing in the street and hundreds more turned away unable to get within the doors of his voluntary meeting. It was a typically enthusiastic Johnson meeting. "If I go from the boundaries of your commonwealth," said the governor in the course of his address, "I endeavor to serve you in another capacity. I go just as I am—the same man with the only master this man has had for a dozen years, the only master that politically I have known—the people of the state of California."

KANSAS PROFESSOR'S WIFE MISSING 5 DAYS

Mrs. Chas. Cochran Disappears; Offer Rewards For Information LAWRENCE, Kan., Oct. 30.—After a five-day search by Lawrence and Lawrence police, Professor Charles Cochran of the University of Kansas Engineering School faculty tonight offered a reward of \$100 for information regarding the whereabouts of his wife. A similar reward was offered by Mrs. Cochran's sister, Mrs. A. M. Johnson of Denver, who arrived from there today to assist in the search.

Mrs. Cochran has been missing since 7 o'clock Wednesday night. Professor Cochran declared tonight. A woman answering her description bought a ticket for Denver and was traced as far as Dodge City, Kas., but there all trace of her was lost. She was admitted to have been in ill health for a long time. F. W. BRIGHT, INVENTOR, DEAD CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—Frederick W. Bright, an engineer and inventor of note, died at his home here today after a short illness. He was the inventor of a number of devices now in general use in packing houses, among which is the moving table used on the beef killing floors in the larger plants. Bright was superintendent of motive power of Armour & Company.

STEAMER SUNK OFF IRISH COAST; MANY AMERICANS MISSING

Marina Said to Have Been Attacked Without Warning—May Raise New Submarine Issue

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Preliminary reports of the sinking by German submarines of the British steamers Marina and Rowanmore, partly manned by Americans, were too incomplete tonight to enable officials at the state department to form an opinion as to whether there had been a violation of neutral rights or of pledges given the United States by Germany. Secretary Lansing declined to comment further than to admit that the reports appeared more serious than the usual routine despatches announcing the destruction of belligerent merchantmen and that full information would be awaited with interest.

On its face, the case of the Marina, reported by Consul Frost at Queens-town, presented the gravest situation that has arisen since the sinking of the channel liner Sussex, which brought the American and German governments to the verge of a break. Although he cautioned that his information was purely "provisional," the consul cabled that the Marina, "a large transport with a mixed crew of British and Americans," was reported sunk without warning by German submarine gunfire, 100 miles west of Cape Clear, and that seventy of the crew of 104 were missing. Press despatches have indicated that the missing men might reach shore in their boats later.

Another message from Frost said members of the crew of the Rowanmore, including Americans, had been shelled in their boats while abandoning the ship after being chased by a submarine for fifty minutes. There were no casualties. According to the agents in this country of the Marina's owners, the Donaldson line, the vessel, with some fifty American homesteaders aboard, was not under charter to the British government as a transport, but was engaged in her regular trade as a freighter and carried horses for the allies as a part of her general cargo. Under such circumstances, she would be entitled to all the immunities of any other belligerent owned merchantman, and an enemy destroying her and her contraband cargo would be required to make due provision for the safety of the ship's company, unless she was sunk in the act of attempting to escape.

Did She Try to Escape? Apparently all depends upon the accuracy of the first reports: whether the Marina actually was attacked without warning or whether she is to be recorded as only another of the scores of British carriers that have gone to the bottom as the result of their skipper's desperate efforts to outrun enemy ships. Until a full report has come from Consul Frost no step will be taken by the state department. Frost is regarded as a thorough investigator and has played a part in determining the facts in many of the most important submarine incidents including the destruction of the Lusitania. Affidavits of American survivors are expected from him within a few days.

Most of the officials of the department are inclined to be optimistic. They point out that time after time first accounts have made it appear that a ship had been sunk illegally, and that in every instance since the Sussex complete reports have proved that no laws or pledges had been violated by the submarine destroyer. "Comparatively little importance is attached to the case of the Rowanmore, because it is admitted that the vessel attempted to escape and only stopped after fleeing for fifty minutes and having her steering gear shot away. There was a heavy fog at the time and officials think it would have been easy for panic-stricken sailors leaving their battered ship to have mistaken that the vessel was sending shells in their direction. This opinion is strengthened by the fact that no one was lost."

Did It Try to Escape? LONG BRANCH, N. J., Oct. 30.—President Wilson, when informed today of the sinking of the British steamship Marina by a submarine, was the probable loss of American lives immediately directed that he be supplied with all details as they come to the state department at Washington. The President would make no statement pending the receipt of full details.

After the receipt of the first report, the executive headquarters here were in communication with the state department. Preliminary reports received here indicated that some uncertainty existed as to whether the Marina attempted to escape, and whether she was under charter to the British government.

List of Americans

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Oct. 30.—Following are the names and addresses of the Americans, all white, on board the Marina: F. H. Smith, Philadelphia, foreman; J. H. Clarke and J. H. Rollins, Richmond, Va.; Wm. Cullen, Philadelphia, assistant foreman. Horsemen: S. A. Devlin and George Rogers, Norfolk, Va.; Andrew Krisk, Springfield, Ohio; T. H. Hamlin, Edgemoor, Md.; Charles New York; William A. T. Wence, Sheridan, Wyo.; H. B. Sinclair, J. Arnold, F. A. Arnold and Andrew G. Robinson, Baltimore; James F. Foley, James Bridge, Salem, Mass.; George W. Wheeler, Lancaster, Pa.; T. E. Engle, Baltimore; J. J. Harrison, Philadelphia; Eddie Martin, Chicago; Charles Hines and Walter T. Blaney, Baltimore.

Not A Transport

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Oct. 30.—At the offices of the United States Shipping Company, local agents for the Donaldson line, owners of the Marina, it was stated today that the Marina was not a transport in the service of the British government.

"She is one of our regular steamers plying between here and Glasgow," it was said, "and was owned and operated as a merchantman by the Donaldson line. She carried general cargo and some horses for the British government, but she had not been commandeered and still retained her character as a merchantman."

Four From Baltimore

BALTIMORE, Oct. 30.—Of twelve Americans aboard the Marina, whose addresses were given as Baltimore, only four had homes here, so far as could be learned tonight. Edgar Miller and Charles Horky, each 19 years of age, have been missing from their homes for about six weeks and their parents had no knowledge of their whereabouts, until their names were listed as members of the Marina's crew.

GOVERNMENT NOT TO MAKE REFUND

Nearly \$60,000 Is Lost to Wine Men of California (Special to the Republican.) SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—Hundreds of California wine makers who expected to receive a refund on brandy under the new revenue act, rightfully belong to the wine makers. The war emergency placed a tax of 55 cents a gallon on brandy used in the fortification of sweet wines. The new bill asks for a tax of only 10 cents a gallon. The wine makers expected that the difference between the two taxes on the brandy on hand would be refunded to them and many of them made application for the refund to Collector Scott.

WILL MAKE TEST OF SAVINGS LAW

To Prosecute National Banks That Advertise For Savings

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—As an incident in the protection given to savings deposits by state law, State Superintendent of Banks W. R. Williams announced today that he is preparing to institute action against such national banks as persist in advertising for "savings accounts." "These banks have sanction in the conduct in a ruling of the Federal Reserve Board," he says, "while the state bank act places an absolute prohibition upon such advertisement. "National banks being commercial banks," the report says, "cannot give depositors the refuge against the vicissitudes of commercial banking which closely guarded, critically selected and strictly supervised securities insure. I am pleased to report that most of the national banks in the state have accepted our point of view and have not sought to obtain savings deposits. Those institutions that have evidenced their desire to acquire such deposits will be asked to defend their purpose in a test of the constitutionality of the state law."

EXCLUDE I. W. W. FROM EVERETT

EVERETT, Wash., Oct. 30.—When word was received that forty-five men said to be members of the Industrial Workers of the World, were coming by boat from Seattle tonight, 200 citizens gathered under the leadership of deputy sheriffs and stood guard at the wharf. When the steamer docked and the men came ashore, the waiting citizens loaded them into automobiles and drove them through town to a point beyond the south city limits, where they were liberated and warned to return to Seattle.

DIES FROM HUSBAND'S SHOTS

WATERLOO, Iowa, Oct. 30.—Mrs. Edith Finley Vinton today died here Sunday night from bullet wounds inflicted by her husband, Thomas Finley, in the triple murder here Saturday afternoon.

Thomas Finley shot and killed W. J. Shaulis, fired two shots at Mrs. Finley and killed herself.

MONTH END SALE

Charge Purchases

Every department of the store offers one or more one-day special.

<p>Month End Sale 25c Handkerchiefs --13c-- Ladies' regular 25c handkerchiefs, special for today only.</p>	<p>Month End Sale Silk Purses --½ Off-- Large assortment of silk purses marked \$2.45 to \$17.50. Half price today.</p>	<p>Month End Sale Ladies' 45c Vests --33c-- Ladies' heavy fleeced vests & pants. Regular 45c. Special today only.</p>
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<p>Month End Sale Men's 35c Hose --17c-- Men's fine quality 18c hose. Black and favorite colors. All sizes. Today only.</p>	<p>Month End Sale Knit Petticoats --14c-- Ladies' warm knit petticoats. Knee length. Regular 35c grade. less than half price.</p>	<p>Month End Sale 10c Apron Gingham --7c-- Regular 10c gingham. Blue & green checks; fast colors; short length. Special today only.</p>
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<p>Month End Sale Wool Dress Goods --89c--</p> <p>Special lot of woolen dress goods, formerly \$1.50 to \$2.25. Good assortment. Today only.</p>	<p>Month End Sale Children's Hose --3 for 25c--</p> <p>Our regular 12 1-2 line, black ribbed; medium weight; sizes 6 to 9 1-2. Today only.</p>	<p>Month End Sale Women's Dresses --\$1.98--</p> <p>Odd lot of ladies' serge dresses, formerly up to \$7.50. Special today only.</p>
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WONDERFUL MONTH END SILK PETTICOAT SALE

The most remarkable underpriced purchases of new silk petticoats ever made by this store. Hundreds and hundreds of them in every imaginable color, made from full quality soft tulle—Dozens of beautiful styles of blouses. Secured from New York's leading maker of high grade petticoats at about one-half price, now offered at corresponding savings in our greatest sale.

Values To \$3.25 . \$1.98	Values To \$4.50 . \$2.59	Values To \$6.00 . \$3.59
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<p>Month End Sale</p> <p>Seventy-Five</p> <p>Trimmed Hats</p> <p>Worth to \$5.00</p>	<p>Month End Sale</p> <p>\$1.00 Brassieres</p> <p>--65c--</p>	<p>Month End Sale</p> <p>Ladies' & Misses</p> <p>Sport Coats</p> <p>Extra Special</p>
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For Four Hours Only \$1.00

75 trimmed hats that sold up to \$5.00, in our regular stock, for Tuesday from 8:30 till 12:30 only. They come in black and colors. All

Month End Sale
Drug Sundries

Regular \$1.00 quality brassieres. Handsomely trimmed. Sizes 34 to 46. Today only.

Mackinaw Designs . . \$6.75

Ladies' and Misses' plaid sweaters in dark color combinations. Made with large convertible collars, large cuffs and wide belt trimmed with large fancy buttons.

-Month End Sale
Lingerie Waists
-\$1.00-

Drug Sundries
Special Today Only

25c Imported violet soap	21c
\$1.00 Danderine	71c
50c El Itado depilatory	29c
25c Puritta freckle cream	15c
25c Lerechner's face powder	15c
10c Peroxide bath soap	7c

Month End Sale
Children's Sweaters
-\$1.09-
 Special assortment of children's sweaters. Formerly \$1.50. Sizes 4-12.

NOTICE! This is the last day of our Free Photo Offer. Purchases of \$5.00 or more made today entitles customer to Photo 7x11 in. of any child up to 12 years of age.

This Sale Is For Today Only

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Tomorrow Night
8 P. M. At The Auditorium

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Under the Auspices of the Trades Union Lib
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"He Electrified the Audience."—San Jose Mercury

A Staunch Advocate of Constructive Temperance

Will Speak on

"Prohibition And The Workers"

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HUGHES REPLIES TO WILSON ON SHADOW LAWN SPEECH

Eulogy Needed Touch of Policy That Led to Slaughter
HALL IS CROWDED
Throngs Block Auto of Candidate on Way to Meeting

COLUMBIUS, Ohio, Oct. 30.—Charles E. Hughes tonight replied to President Wilson's speech at Shadow Lawn last Saturday. Mr. Hughes referred to the occasion as a "little festival of self-glorification" among "our opponents" in which "they declared the birth of freedom and described themselves as the generous forces of the age and world."

"The eulogy needed one further touch," Mr. Hughes declared, "and that was to celebrate the policy that led to the slaughter at Vera Cruz and Carrizal."

The Underwood and Adamson bills were characterized as being in the "whimsical domain of topsy-turvydom" and "they he lauded as the guardians of American enterprise and American labor." Business had been placed, as it was claimed, on a different footing. Mr. Hughes said:

"Any it is a very slippery footing," he added.

Mr. Hughes declared his opponents were "a little out of their reckoning" in claiming that "business had been relieved of a nervous fear of the courts," that what business really feared was "vague legislation," "two-faced laws," government by "holding-up," and "an administration which treats business men as suspicious characters."

The nominee was due to address his audience at 8 o'clock. Instead, he began his address at 9:45. A long torch-

"Intolerance" Remarkable Screen Spectacle With Distorted Moral Purpose

"Intolerance" fulfilled all expectations. It is a remarkable spectacle. It is an exhibition of power. Great buildings are built and destroyed. Great numbers of men are mixed together as armies and mobs, are drilled and scattered. The eye is struck with the dramatic wonder of it. The ear is brought into union with the many strangled grip of a symphony orchestra. The imagination is appealed to with a reach back to the capture of Babylon, the metropolis of Asia, in 539 before Christ; with glimpses into the life of Christ at the opening of the present era; with a leap across the centuries to the massacre of St. Bartholomew's day, in the sixteenth century, in France; and then into the commonplace of the present day in the western part of the United States. It is a stupendous power that makes of "Intolerance" a spectacle that is worth the five years that it took in the creation. The scenes where the attacks of Cyrus on Babylon and its defense by Belshazzar are shown will stand out as a milestone in artistic re-creation.

As for human interest, there is little of this dramatic element in the story of Babylon, in the story of the time of Christ, or in the story of the Huguenot massacre. The story of the present day, with its incidents of industrial and social injustice are well handled in D. W. Griffith's well known manner, convincingly, but are remarkable only in the way they have been woven in with the other three stories. The creator disclaims any dramatic structure, but he has succeeded in it admirably because, in spite of the constant breaks between ancient and modern times, there is no confusion of either story or emotional effect.

The people in the cast are nearly all actors of great merit. Many of them were with him in the old Biograph days. He has drilled them in his own system. They seem to respond to him as the ke's of a piano do to the fingers of a Paderewski.

light parade which he reviewed and crowds of Republicans from every section of Ohio which choked the streets between his hotel and Memorial hall, caused the long delay. The last of the audience had been in their seats waiting two and one-half hours when he began to speak. The early arrivals had been sitting nearly four hours.

Thousands of persons who could not gain entrance to the hall were dressed outside in overflow meetings by other speakers.

Crowd Delay, Hughes

The crowd which witnessed the parade packed the greater portion of Capitol Square, opposite the hotel where Mr. Hughes was staying. The nominees reviewed the parade for an hour and a half, and left it still passing. For four blocks between the hall and the hotel the crowd was so dense that Mr. Hughes' car had to creep at a snail's pace. About a block from the hall the crowd began to thin. Surrounded by thousands of persons who called on him for a speech, he finally arose.

"I would like to speak to you," he said, "but I cannot do so. The crowd in the hall has been waiting a long time, and my voice is poor."

They cheered this, and the police finally extricated his car from the throngs and the nominee finally reached the hall.

As in previous speeches today in Ohio, Mr. Hughes made the tariff his chief theme tonight. Replying to

the statements in President Wilson's speech, Mr. Hughes said:

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It is the emotional purpose of "Intolerance" that is lamentable. His mind, claiming to be against bigotry, is in reality hankering to the most primitive instinct—humanity, the revolt against evil—either of the body or of the soul—like all who decline against "Intolerance," Griffith selects only certain intolerances to be the object of his ridicule or wrath. All wrongs he would trace to intolerance and hate. Industrial injustice is merely hate. Religious intolerance is merely hate. The effects of ignorance are merely hate. He knows nothing of sin. He knows nothing of a social aspiration. From his argument, he would not be intolerant of wrong, nor of vice, nor of filth, nor of greed, nor of crime. Taking extreme instances, he puts on the pillory every effort that society has ever made, better itself as against individual laziness or social weakness. Of course, Griffith does not believe anything of this kind. But with a view of attacking certain forms of social intolerance, he makes a clean sweep of his mental operations, and makes "Intolerance" as such the apparent source of all interference with universal love and universal peace.

The pleasure with which we see this picture at this time is also considerably dampened by the suspicion that the film is being run for high state at this time for purely political effect. "Intolerance" could very profitably be run in Fresno to crowded houses for a week, at least. It is kept here for a day only. Some one is seemingly interested in having the superficial view of "Intolerance" presented in this picture, have its effect on next week's election. In as many parts of the state as possible. This is political prostitution of a remarkably fine work of art.

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ABYSSINIAN RULER TAKEN IN BATTLE

New Government Wins Decisive Victory; Britain May Recognize

LONDON, Oct. 30.—(12:50 p. m.)—A dispatch received in London from the British minister to Abyssinia, announces that a big battle has been fought 25 miles outside of the capital and resulted in a complete victory for the new government. Ras Mikhael, father of the late emperor, was taken prisoner.

The deposed ruler, according to the dispatch, is believed now to be among the tribes of the border of Abyssinia and Somali. The dispatch adds that if the victory proves sufficiently decisive, the question will be reconsidered of recognizing the new government.

Recent dispatches announced the outbreak of a revolution in Abyssinia. A London dispatch said Emperor Lind-Jessu, the 22-year-old grandson of the late Emperor Menelik, had been deposed and that Emperor-Zooditu, daughter of Menelik, had been proclaimed "Empress of Ethiopia."

REPORT VILLA HAS TAKEN SMALL TOWNS

Conflicting Word Is Received Over Fall of Santa Rosalia

EL PASO, Oct. 30.—Conflicting reports continued to arrive here today regarding the rumored capture of Santa Rosalia by Villa's troops. A message was received by an American here today from Chihuahua City, saying that a report was circulated there that Santa Rosalia had been captured by Villa, who had also taken Santa Barbara and other small towns in the Parral district, except Parral itself, where the bandit leader had been repulsed by General Luis Herrera. Another report which reached government agents tonight from the interior, was that Santa Rosalia had been evacuated by the Carranza troops. Official reports from Chihuahua City received here today say nothing definite has been received from Santa Rosalia. All of Villa's command are now mounted, refugees coming from the western Chihuahua district report.

HUANG SING, FORMER REBEL GENERAL, DEAD

Was Mainspring of Revolution to 1911; Once Vice-President

SHANGHAI, Oct. 31.—General Huang Sing, formerly commander of the rebel army in China and who visited America two years ago, is dead.

General Huang Sing, formerly was provincial minister of war, commander of the southern army, military chief of Southern Fukin and president of the national senate. He was acclaimed by the Chinese reformers as the real active mainspring of the Chinese revolution in 1911, but recognizing Dr. Sun Yat Sen as head of the reform movement and accepted for himself the office of vice president of the republic.

Later he opposed Yuan Shi Kai, the president, who was reported to have put a price upon Huang Sing's head. Because of this he fled from China and came to New York in 1914 for the purpose, he said, of studying American governmental methods. Later he returned to China.

fault with the splendid record of Hughes," he added, however, that the candidacy of Hughes reminded him of the Mardi Gras, where one often finds a pretty girl beneath an ugly mask, or vice versa.

He said that he had taken his stand with President Wilson because the administration has adopted many of the policies launched by the Progressives.

Motion Pictures

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Review requested by the motion picture patents company of its suit against competitors to interpret the Clayton act and its application to so-called patent "monopolies" so that it would cover licensing of patented moving picture machinery, was granted today by the supreme court. Lower Federal courts dismissed the suit, which attacked wrongful use of a license machine with films not approved by the so-called licensing picture trust.

Wilson League

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The Woodrow Wilson League received contributions in the presidential campaign aggregating \$24,667 and has expended thus far \$31,020, according to the report of its treasurer, Henry Bruere of New York, filed today with the clerk of the house.

There were 135 contributors. Among them were Jacob H. Schiff, \$5,000; Theodore Roosevelt, \$4,000; William Kent, California, \$4,000; Charles R. Crane, \$2,000; Mrs. Charles R. Crane, \$1,000; George Eastman, New York, \$1,000; and Mrs. Joseph Pels, New York, \$1,000. The Democratic National committee contributed to the league, \$15,500.

Socialist Labor Party

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Arthur E. Reimer of Boston and Caleb Harrison of Chicago, candidates of the Socialist Labor party for the presidency and vice presidency, spoke at a mass meeting here tonight.

Mr. Reimer asserted that his party stands for world wide industrial union and for world patriotism, rather than patriotism only to nation in which a man is born.

"And by this I do not mean," he said, "a lack of certain degree of love for country and flag, but a patriotism so broad that it includes the whole industrial world. The Socialist-Labor party is the only one which is against war and preparedness."

Prominent Baptist Dead

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 30.—Dr. James Marion Frost, founder of the Baptist Sunday school board, and a prominent figure in the Southern Baptist church, died at his home here tonight. He had written several books on denominational questions which are considered classics in religious literature.

The Wonder

All Charge Purchases Entered On November Bills, Due in December

Extra Special Sale Today Fashionable New Dancing Frocks

All a glitter With Beads and Metallic Emb'd'y \$25 Value Considerably Above Price

—A wonderful lot of new dancing frocks are to be placed on sale today for the first time—lovely combinations of silk and net or net over a foundation of silk.



—Beautiful headings, metallic embroidery work and lace—even the newest hoop effect, if you want it—identify them with "Fashions of the hour," priced at \$25. (Regular values considerably more).

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In Two Large Assortments All New—Not Shown Before 19.75 & \$25

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—Elegant models in duvetyne, high lustre broadcloths and fine worsted failles—novel and original designs in fur-trimmed collars, cuffs, belts, pockets and skirts, mark every suit as distinctively high class and greatly underpriced.

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New Coats

19.75

—A new lot of semi-dress models in plain vicunas with novelty collars of extra size and pockets—the former featuring a band of fur-trimmed midway across—Exceptionally low coats at 12.75.

The Wonder Cash Basement

Women's Apparel Underpriced

Serge Dresses

More Than 20 Styles for Fall and Winter 4.95 to 14.95

—See the large window display of serge dresses near basement entrance—Correct new styles at 4.95, 6.95, 9.95, 12.95 and 14.95.

Flannel Middies for School 2.98

—Of soft navy blue flannels, in middie style—neatly finished with white braid. Sizes for misses 11 to 20 years of age.

Union Suits In the Knitwear Department 24c, 29c, 35c, 49c

—New knit union suits (in light weight) of superior qualities at down-to-earth prices providing remarkable values, 24c, 29c, 35c and 49c.

MRS. MARY FAIRBANKS DIES SUDDENLY, AGE 87

Mother of Former Vice-President Passes Away at Home

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 30.—Mrs. Mary Fairbanks, mother of former Vice-President Charles Warren Fairbanks, died suddenly here at her home tonight. Mr. Fairbanks, who is campaigning in Illinois, is expected home tomorrow.

Mrs. Fairbanks, who was 87 years old, had been enjoying good health and took a long motor ride this afternoon. Late tonight she became suddenly ill and died shortly after her maid had summoned members of the household. She had a home at San Diego, Cal., but divided her time with her son here. She is survived by four sons and a daughter. Charles Warren Fairbanks of this city; W. D. Fairbanks and Luther M. Fairbanks of Louisville; Newton Fairbanks and Mrs. M. L. Milligan of Springfield, Ohio.

HALLOWE'EN IS MOTIF OF DANCE

An immense Halloween party was participated in last night by about 500 members of the Fresno lodge of Perfection, No. 6 of the A. & A. S. R. of free Masons. The affair was held in the Masonic Temple and marked the first social event of the lodge in these quarters. Members attended from Modesto and Bakersfield. The officers are Harry C. Wilber, venerable master; C. H. Williams, senior warden; and F. L. Thompson, junior warden.

WILL SPEAK AT Y. M. C. A. SERVICES

Conference Evangelist Ross, who with Pastor J. H. Hodges, conducted special services at the Normal M. E. church last Sunday, will speak at the Y. M. C. A. meeting in the courthouse park next Sunday afternoon. Evangelist Ross and Pastor Hodges spoke to a large gathering at the Normal M. E. the former chiding at his subject, "The necessity of complete sacrifice," and the latter, "Once I was blind, now I see."

HARVARD NOW OUT OF QUARANTINE

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 30.—Partial quarantine regulations which were imposed on the Harvard football squad after Edward Ginn, a substitute, had been found to be suffering from infantile paralysis in a mild form several days ago, will be lifted tomorrow night. College authorities announced tonight that they believed all danger of a possible spread of the disease had passed.

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Advocates of New Treatment Claim It Is Effective in Chronic Constipation and Other Ills

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Society

Local artists and lovers of beautiful pictures are availing themselves of the privilege afforded them this week of viewing the paintings of William Adam, the well known Scotch artist of Pacific Grove, whose previous exhibitions in this city have won him a host of friends and admirers of his work. The exhibit which is being held at the Fulton Lecture club includes over thirty studies, principally from the Monterey Peninsula depicting the varied and attractive scenery of that region. Among the collection are sea, rock and sand dune studies, express trees from the 17 mile drive, old gardens, showing a wealth of brilliant flowers, and many other subjects, depicting nature in all its varying moods. The exhibition is open daily to the public from 10 to 12 a. m. and from 3 to 5 p. m. On Wednesday and Friday evenings the exhibition will be open from 7 to 9 p. m. Mr. Adam's talk on Art and his humorous readings given before the club last Friday afternoon were greatly enjoyed.

Two popular visitors of the week are making the hall of hospitality keep rolling at least for a fortnight, and are graciously sharing the honors of the various functions with each other. Mrs. Frank H. Short was the hostess at a charmingly appointed bridge luncheon yesterday at her handsome home on Calaveras street, making Mrs. J. D. Davidson of Los Angeles, her honor guests. The table was a charming study in Dresden coloring with a combination of pink roses, violets and lilies of the valley arranged in a large silver bowl as the central decoration. Dainty place cards, scheduled the names of Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. Moutrie, Mrs. Fred Seymour, Mrs. C. B. Shaver, Mrs. George Hodging, Mrs. W. W. Craycroft, Mrs. E. E. Manheim, Mrs. David Faulke, Mrs. B. F. Shepherd, Mrs. F. M. Romani and Mrs. D. H. Trowbridge, and after the ensuing bridge games, the trophy for highest score went to Mrs. E. E. Manheim.

On Wednesday evening, Mrs. Short will again entertain the visitors, a house dance being the form of entertainment for which invitations have been issued.

Today Mrs. B. F. Shepherd is to be a luncheon hostess, entertaining at the popular form of hospitable expression at her home on I street. A dozen congenial friends will compose the group at luncheon including the guests of honor, Mrs. Moutrie and Mrs. Davidson, and Mesdames F. H. Short, F. M. Romani, E. E. Manheim, E. A. Seymour, H. W. Swift, C. B. Shaver, George C. Roeding, James Madison, H. Winette Lake.

Mrs. George H. Allen is spending the week in Berkeley as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Stern.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Parkner are spending several weeks in San Francisco.

Mrs. W. W. Craycroft will enter-

tain at bridge on Thursday afternoon, complimenting Mrs. J. D. Davidson and Mrs. Lloyd Moutrie.

Mrs. Thomas W. Patterson and Miss Dorothy Patterson will return tonight from San Francisco, where they have been spending the week-end.

Mrs. Armin Sachs returned yesterday from Los Angeles, where she has been enjoying a several weeks' visit as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Greenlee.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Clark are spending several weeks at Byron Hot Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Haranger of Oakland are stopping at the Hotel Fresno for a few days while enroute to their home in the north, after a sojourn of several weeks in Southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. George Emery Church have issued invitations for a Scotch evening on November 8 at their home on Echo avenue, at which Dr. James Henry McLean will impersonate Robert Burns. The invitations are attractively printed on tartan paper.

Members of the Scottish Rite Masonic Lodge and guests enjoyed a very delightful dancing party last evening at the Masonic Temple, a large number of members motoring in from adjacent towns for the evening's festivity.

Interest is being centered on the musical evening to be featured on Friday evening at the Hotel Fresno by the members of St. James Guild of the Episcopal Pro-Cathedral. Among those who have reserved tables for the later evening entertainment are Mrs. J. L. Cory, Mrs. E. M. Miller, Mrs. W. H. Isaacs, Mrs. W. J. Baker, Mrs. Butler Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gardner, Charles Ryan of Sacramento and Mrs. K. Girard of San Francisco were members of a house party entertained over the week-end by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ryan at their home on R street.

Mrs. Bert Cardwell is to entertain the members of the Woman's Alliance of the First Unitarian church, and also the members of the Friday Club this afternoon at the First Unitarian church, when Mrs. W. P. Miller will give a reading of "My Lady's Dress."

A business meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Congregational church will be held this afternoon in the church parlors at 2:30.

Malcolm Crawford entertained a congenial group of friends at an informal party last evening at the J. M. Crawford residence on Calaveras avenue.

One of the most delightful satisfying artists of the younger generation is Florence Macbeth the American color-

Among the Clubs

The members of the Query Club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. Z. Austin, on I street, for an interesting period of consideration of modern Greek history under the leadership of Mrs. A. E. Snow. Mrs. Montgomery Thomas and Mrs. Winter Shooker. The club will convene next Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. O. Baker to study one of the Greek dramas under the guidance of Mrs. W. P. Miller.

"Dress Rehearsal," an operetta, will be given at the Three Rivers hall on Saturday evening, November 4, by the Woman's Club. The characters are: Miss Jones, Principal of Grove House academy; Mrs. Carrie Swanson, Mademoiselle Edmond, French governess; Miss Eva Underwood, Amy Elkins, afterwards Underella.

Miss Helen Dice, Clara Wilkins, afterwards the princess; Miss Phyllis Roseburg, Sarah Ann, the greedy girl; Mrs. Olie Martin, Sophomelia Spivens, the romantic girl; Martha Higgins and Carry Jackson, afterwards the Spiteful Sisters; Helen Deane and Helen Hamilton, Rosalind, afterwards fairy godmother; Mrs. Fannie Eckler, Hattie, the little girl; Miss Norma Mehren, Mrs. Jarvey, education mistress; Miss Edna Graham, Miss Prudence Pinchbeck, a visitor; Miss Hattie Barton, Jane, the servant; Miss Myrtle Barton.

Mrs. A. G. Smith, department superintendent of social service of the San Joaquin District Federation, will address the Fowler Improvement Association at its meeting today. The program will be in charge of Mrs. D. S. McCallough.

The Delany Woman's Club held its regular meeting on Saturday afternoon in the Masonic lodge room. An amendment was voted permitting associate membership in the club with no active duties, but with larger dues than those paid by active members. Eleven new members were received into the club. A most interesting and comprehensive paper on "Prison Reform" was read by Mrs. M. J. Collins. Mrs. J. H. B. Speer gave a short informal talk on "An Hour in Congress," a recent personal experience. Charles (Dick) Davis, Ph. D., of the Venice high school, a soprano who will be heard here next Monday evening at the White Theater before the Musical Club.

After being graduated with honors from college, she devoted her entire time for two years to the study of the voice, having taken a general music course while in college. At the end of two years she, with half a dozen other talented American girls, went abroad with their teacher for further study in repertoire in Italy. The professional debut was at the Laigue as soloist with the Lamoureux Orchestra of Paris.

Her success was so marked that she was offered a very excellent engagement at the Grand Ducal theater in Darmstadt, Germany, singing Rosina in The Barber of Seville, and Gilda in Rigoletto.

Engagements in opera, as soloist with the principal orchestras of Europe, and in recital followed, leading directly to her debut in London in 1913 at Queen's hall, with the London Symphony Orchestra.

In December of the same year she returned to America, becoming leading coloratura soprano with the Chicago Grand Opera company, enjoying two winter seasons with this organization.

Season tickets for the club are now on sale at the White theater box office.

Mrs. Edna Orr James left yesterday for Jackson, Amador county where she will address a Teachers' Institute on Wednesday afternoon.

school, followed with a delightful talk upon the fifth amendment, in taxation, treating it from a philosophical and practical standpoint, prefacing his remarks upon this subject by a description of some of the old European prisons that he had visited, supplementing Mrs. Collins' paper. Mrs. Geo. Wright played a piano solo. The next meeting will be on November 11, when Mrs. H. L. Jackson will read "If I Were King," by Justin McCarthy.

Organization of the Stanislaus County High School Teachers' Club was effected at a banquet and business meeting Saturday night at the Hotel Hugbison in Modesto. The banquet was served at 4:30, and the adjournment to the ball room, where the business of the session was taken up. The following officers were elected: J. C. Templeton, superintendent of the Modesto schools, president; A. H. Abbot, principal of the Patterson high school, vice-president; Miss Ethel Painter, Hugbison, secretary. The executive committee consists of the president, secretary and three others: Principal Hester, Turlock; Principal Hally, Newman; and Principal Overman, Oakdale.

Reports of activities of the athletic associations of the county, and outlines of their work in competition for state prizes were made by Principal Hester of Turlock and Principal C. S. Morris of Modesto. The club will meet at the call of the president, who will likely be twice during the school term. The next meeting will probably be held in February.

The Dos Palos Woman's Improvement Club held a special meeting at the high school Saturday afternoon. The members decided to have Mrs. Ira M. Wilson of Fresno give a reading at the high school on Saturday afternoon.

The Philanthropic committee of the Tulare Woman's Club is planning a charity bazaar and ball for December 9. Its purpose is to raise money for the Philanthropic work of the club, especially for the Christmas season.

At the Wednesday night meeting of the Raisin City Parent-Teachers' Association plans will be discussed for the organization of a choral club and an orchestra. All music lovers are invited to be present.

The Coalings Woman's Club has arranged for a course of four attractions from the Redpath Lyceum Bureau, to be put on in the near future.

The first number will be the Six Kilmer Girls, on November 4.

On November 20 the American Quartet will appear, and on December 14 the Orpheus Trio will make their appearance. The last of the course is Schillinger's Hungarian Orchestra, an organization well known in musical circles.

This afternoon at 2 o'clock, Mrs. R. H. Bramlett of Del Rey and Mrs. Mary L. Veunflet of Fowler, will address the Woman's Improvement Club at the club house. Mrs. Bramlett, who is an aunt of Mrs. Arthur Ladd of Modesto, will speak on history and landmarks of California, and Mrs. Veunflet on legislation. The public is cordially invited by the club to attend.

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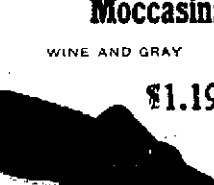
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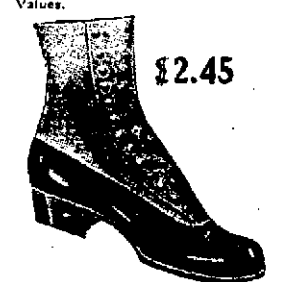
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In the table of normal weights the standards are always measured by the height of the body. This is the result that is presented invariably to the public. I would caution that scale and the age into consideration. It is natural for a healthy person to acquire poundage with years. Persons in the prime of life are nearly sure to exceed the weight prescribed when only their height is taken into consideration.

In making this suggestion I am not attempting to console women of middle age who have acquired excessive avoirdupois. I have little patience with women who are fat and ungainly merely because they have allowed themselves to become sluggish. They deserve to be criticized. But it is not natural for the woman of 40 to have the sylphlike figure of her 18-year-old daughter, and fortunately she makes a better appearance with a little more weight.

Women always consider their age when attempting to regulate their weight. The sculptor and artist would never think of giving the figure of a girl of 18 to a matron. In the figure of the matron he would place just as many beautiful lines as he could give possibly to that of a girl. There are various forms of physical beauty. If the matron

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is as lean as her budding daughter, she inevitably looks sickly, her complexion is sallow and her hair poor carriage. In attempting to reduce to such an extent the woman of middle age is liable to injure her health.

When you glance over the standard of weights and find that so many pounds are given to a definite height, remember that these figures form only a basis for calculation. The lad 6 feet tall may not be of the symmetrical proportions of a father, but slenderness is becoming to him. The same statement can be applied to mother and daughter.

It is not especially difficult to regulate your weight, but it requires patience and the hours devoted to rest and sleep all have a definite bearing upon the weight. When this is understood, the regulation of the poundage is not difficult. Unfortunately persons generally want to change their weight overnight. Women who have reached middle age are anxious to retain the slenderness that is indicative of youth. They often wish too much of a reduction from the weight that is natural to their years. Women who desire to increase their weight are equally exacting; they are not satisfied with a gain of a pound a week. Their appetite must be increased, a rampant desire for pleasure and heat of helpful exercise and rest retard their progress in the direction they want their weight to move.

I would caution the matron and the woman of middle age against attempts to reduce their weight below the natural pounds consistent with their years. If such women exercise with regularity, eat the proper food and live right their weight will remain normal. If they are too slender they are on the verge of losing their good complexion and attractive appearance. If those attractions have not already departed.

Taken a sensible view of the weight question, it is one that is individual. Remember that age as well as height should be used as a factor in determining the pounds that are becoming to you. Remember your age when you use of the scales—then forget it.

NORMAL CLASSES CHOOSE OFFICERS

Officers for the fall term have been elected by the senior class of Fresno University as follows: President, Henrietta Ellis, Porterville; Vice-president, Alice Nell, Reedley; Secretary, Eleanor Lund, Clovis; Treasurer, Loyal Wells, Fowler.

The officers of the junior class are: President, Ruth Reid, Eastern; Vice-president, Betty Sims, Reedley; Secretary, Laura Hoping, Lindsay; Treasurer, Hazel Rice, Reedley.

SLAYER OF RANCHER IS SENT TO PRISON

Eladio Vargas Is Given 10-Year Sentence by Judge Church

Ten years in San Quentin prison was the sentence imposed on Eladio Vargas for the slaying of Andreas Pien, Rancher, September 17. Sentence was pronounced by Judge George E. Church. Vargas was originally charged with murder, but this charge was reduced to manslaughter on motion of District Attorney McCormick. Vargas pleaded guilty to the manslaughter charge.

According to the evidence filed in the information, Vargas and two companions went to Pien's ranch, and after a drinking bout, became noisy. The visitors were ordered off the place. Pien is said to have struck one of the men, whereupon Vargas shot the rancher dead.

Shortly thereafter and Deputy Sheriff Harkness found Vargas the next day at a friend's home at 2041 Cherry avenue. Vargas was asleep when the officers came. He had a loaded revolver and a quantity of cartridges beside him. Vargas was a ranch hand.

REAL ESTATE MAN DIVORCED BY WIFE

Mrs. H. R. Simpson Tells Court Husband Blackened Her Eye

Mrs. Henah Simpson was granted an interlocutory decree of divorce yesterday from H. R. Simpson, Fresno realty dealer. The order was signed by Judge H. Z. Austin. Mrs. Simpson charged her husband with extreme cruelty. She said that her husband struck her on several occasions and once he blackened her eye. Mr. E. J. Coney testified to treating Mrs. Simpson for a bruised face.

An order was made by the court granting Mrs. Simpson the custody of two minor children, Jewel, Slim, 12 years, and Buford, 10 years, and also alimony. The Simpsons married in Fresno, June 25, 1902.

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(Chief Justice)

Note—This is the first photograph of the United States Supreme Court taken since the new session of the court began, October 18, with two new justices, Brandeis and Clarke, enrolled. The seating of the Justices is regulated by the time of service on the bench, the oldest member of the Supreme Court taking the seat to the right of the Chief Justice and the next to the left as shown in the following numerical designation: Brandeis (7), Pitney (3), McReynolds (6), Clarke (8), Day (5), McKenna (1), Holmes (2), VanDevanter (4).

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U. S. Supreme Court Refuses to Upset Lower Decisions

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The Supreme court today refused to review dismissal by California Federal courts of sixteen suits contesting title of the Southern Pacific Company to river-front land at Sacramento, Cal., on which the railroad terminals are located. Denial of review, the plaintiffs asserted, would give the railroad perpetual control of the terminal property.

The court's order, which was without an opinion, in effect sustains dismissal of the suits to oust the Southern Pacific from its waterfront terminal.

The California district and circuit courts held that as the railroad was a public service corporation and in possession of the land fifty years, the plaintiffs could not maintain their suits in equity, setting up adverse title, but could only sue for damages for any wrongful deprivation of property.

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 30.—These suits involve the claim of property owners on Front street to more than a million dollars of property on the bank of the Sacramento river. The holdings of the plaintiffs are on the opposite side of the street, but they contend the grant which the late General Sutter made to the city of Sacramento extends title to the waterfront.

Gerard to Return

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—James W. Gerard, American ambassador to Germany, who arrived here October 19, to leave today to prevent his credentials to President Wilson. He was accompanied by his full staff, several of them in dress uniforms. William Phillips, assistant secretary of state, introduced the ambassador to the President. Greetings expressing hope for continuance of friendly relations between the two nations were exchanged.

Woman's Alliance

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Women of the country contributed \$101,044 to the campaign fund of the National Hughes Alliance Women's Committee, according to the financial statement filed today with the clerk of the House by Mrs. H. Hughes, treasurer. Expenditures of the women's committee up to October 23 were \$92,502.

Among the largest contributors were Mrs. Daniel Guggenheim, New York, and Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, \$10,000 each; Mrs. E. H. Harriman, \$5,000; Mrs. William Straight, \$7,500; Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mrs. Felix Warburg, Mrs. Alexander Smith, Cachanga and Mrs. W. H. Crocker, Burlingame, Cal., \$2,500 each; Mrs. Walter Rosen, New York, \$1,475.

Women who contributed \$1,000 each were Mrs. E. T. Stotesbury, Mrs. T. Coleman Du Pont, Mrs. Simon Guggenheim, Mrs. Charles Huntington Wood, Mrs. John D. Archibald, Mrs. A. A. Anderson, Mrs. Gifford Pinchot, Mrs.

Tiffany Blake, Mrs. Livingston Beekman and Miss Helen Frick.
Various other amounts have been pledged, among them \$10,000 by Mrs. Collis P. Huntington of New York.

Border Command

LAREDO, Texas, Oct. 30.—Brigadier General Harvey C. Clark of Missouri will assume command of all troops, regulars and national guardsmen, in the Laredo district when General William A. Mann leaves Laredo for Washington to take his new position as chief of military affairs. It was announced today. It is not known here when the change will take place.

Seek Rate Change

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The National Livestock Exchange of Chicago today asked the Interstate Commerce Commission to require rates on stock cattle, hogs or sheep for all public markets in the United States not to exceed 75 per cent of the rate applying to the same markets on cattle, hogs or sheep in condition for slaughter. The complaint says that because of lack of uniformity in manner and method of publication rates on the stock or feeder charges higher than for the livestock going to market for slaughter.

Prohibition Campaign

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 30.—J. Frank Hanly, the Prohibition presidential candidate, told Pennsylvania today that the men who survive the European war will give the United States sharp competition in the business world. Only the best will survive, he said, and to meet this competition, America should become sober.

"After the war," he said at Bethlehem, "the men who will come out of the trenches will not be weakened, but purposeful, ready to use the best advantage all the lessons they have learned in the trenches. Then will come the destined time for action. Then will come a time when mere adjustment of tariff schedules will not suffice. What will? Muscle and fibre and brains. Human machinery of Bessemer steel and not burned out sheet iron will be needed in America. How will we meet it? By becoming a sober nation."

Hanly aroused applause in several cities with his arguments for equal suffrage. "We believe," he said, "in government by the people, and we believe that women are people."

Mr. Landrith, the vice-presidential candidate, charged that the liquor interests in the state defeated the suffragists in the last equal rights election.

"I want America so clean," Landrith said later, "that I can look Russia in the face and I can do that as long as Pennsylvania is wet."

The hecklers disturbed almost all of the fourteen meetings in Pennsylvania and New Jersey today. Hanly deserted his speech once in favor of Landrith, and walking over to a heckler, bade him leave or keep quiet. He left.

Socialist Campaign

WEWOKA, Okla., Oct. 30.—Allan L. Benson, Socialist candidate for president, in an address here today, predicted that a great commercial war will follow the European war. "When the European war ceases," he said, "the money power now controlling this nation will use the army and navy to hold the trade we now enjoy."

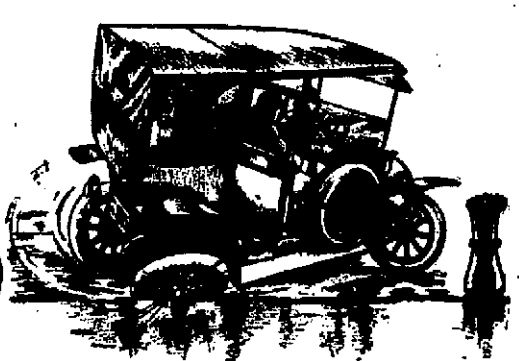
Hanson denounced the false prosperity of the country, declaring that the people in the eastern states now are eating horseflesh and that by spring they will be driven to eat potato bread. He advocated the use of the American army to blockade American ports in order to stop the shipping of supplies to Europe and to prevent a panic at home. Mr. Benson also continued his attacks on the Hay-Chamberlain army bill which includes a draft clause.

DECLARE ENGINEERS ARE BLACKMAILED

Not Allowed by Union to Testify For Railroad Companies

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—At the outset of a hearing today before the Interstate Commerce Commission over the proposed requirement that railroads equip locomotives with high-powered electric headlights, charges were made by representatives of the roads that officers of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers had expelled members of the order testifying favorably to the roads and against the practicability of the high-power light.

"We have been taunted with the statement that we have been unable to get engineers to testify for us in this case," C. C. Spaulding of the New York Central told the commission. "The reason for this is plain. Two engineers who were witnesses at previous meetings of the commission for the railroads have been expelled from the order."



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California Oil

BOOM IN PETROLEUM IS NOW NATION WIDE

Continuation of Existing Market Conditions Is Being Predicted

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—Eastern financial authorities are predicting that the present boom in petroleum, which is nation-wide, will continue. As assurance of this, it is stated that the chemists in this country and in Europe are engaged in efforts to find a cheap substitute for gasoline, and the further fact that production is still lagging behind consumption, and indications point to present prosperity in the industry continuing for a long time.

Eastern financial authorities are predicting higher prices for crude in fields east of the Rocky mountains, their predictions being based on the depletion of storage stocks and the heavy demand for refined products in this country and abroad.

The latest advance of 10 cents a barrel in the price of Pennsylvania crude oil, the third increase of that amount since September 27 last brings the price back to \$2.50 a barrel, the previous high point reached according to the Wall Street Journal, every indication points to further advances in the Pennsylvania field, and the expectation is that \$3 oil will be seen soon.

In a review of the general situation, the Journal says that the leadership of the Pennsylvania field in the matter of price advances it is believed, will be followed by the improvement in other oil fields of the country notably the mid-continent and California. There was a great deal of buying of oil in the mid-continent markets by big interests on the recent decline and the markets there now appear to be without any large amounts of oil, while in California stocks are being constantly drawn upon to keep up with the big demand.

NEVADA COMPANY SECURES LEASE

MCKITTRICK, Oct. 30.—The property of the United States Oil Company, comprising sixty acres on section 8, 30-22, McKittrick front, have been taken over under lease by the Nevada County Oil Company. The land has been leased for a term of twenty-five years on a one-seventh royalty basis. Four wells have already been drilled on the property. The Nevada Company plans to drill sixteen more.

GASOLINE SUPPLY SHORT IN EUROPE

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—The scarcity of gasoline is alarming Europe, and chemists are trying to find a substitute. There has been a double incentive in England, as gasoline is heavily taxed and a substitute would escape the assessment. Consul-General Skinner, stationed at London, in a recent report tells something of the position of gasoline substitutes in Great Britain. Among the substitutes is one called lightning motor fuel, the sole control for the sale of which has been placed in the hands of the Owners-Drivers' Branch of the London and Provincial Licensed Vehicle Workers, which has issued 2,000 cabs out of the 5,000 still on the London streets. Its secretary stated that a first order of 100,000 gallons of the substitute has been proved satisfactory, a further order of 500,000 gallons had been placed with the makers of the Owners-Drivers' Branch. It is claimed that the price for the substitute is 50 per cent below that for gasoline (regular), 57 cents a gallon, against 73 cents. It consists of 50 per cent of petrol and 50 per cent of chemicals, the nature of which is, however, kept secret.

EXPECT VISIT FROM RECLAMATION EXPERT

C. of C. Invites Will King To Examine Projects Here; Now in L. A.

WILL R. King, government reclamation expert who is on a tour of the western states inspecting all reclamation projects, was invited to visit Fresno for the purpose of passing judgment on the proposed Pine Flat Dam on Kings river, yesterday in a telegram sent by William Robertson, secretary of the Fresno County Chamber of Commerce.

Several months ago King was requested by Congressman Denver S. Church to come to Fresno to view the large territory here that is subject to irrigation and in aid in solving several reclamation projects. He replied at that time that he would be in this vicinity about the end of September. Since then his itinerary was changed and for a time it was feared that he would be unable to include Fresno in his trip. Yesterday, Russell Usher, county purchasing agent, was advised of King's whereabouts and immediately notified Robertson.

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TO DRILL FOR OIL IN TULARE LAKE SECTION

Midway Gas Company and S. J. L. & P. Co. Interested in Project

HANFORD, Oct. 30.—A plan to drill for oil in the section near Tulare Lake is in process of consummation by the Midway Gas Company and the San Joaquin Light and Power Corporation. The land on which it is proposed to drill is five miles north of Tulare Lake and eight or nine miles south of Leimoe, and about twenty-two miles east of Coalinga. Leases have been obtained on 1000 acres, owned by John Metcalf of Los Angeles, and on surrounding land. More land is wanted and negotiations with other owners are in progress. About half a dozen shallow wells have been drilled at intervals on the Metcalf land in search of oil or gas.

Big interests are said to be behind a project for exploring land in Kings county for oil and gas, and it is reported that drilling will be in progress within a few months, provided the companies interested are able to make satisfactory leasing arrangements for land. The San Joaquin Light and Power Corporation and the Midway Gas Company are among the concerns interested, according to report.

DISCOVER RICH VEIN OF GOLD AT SONORA

Nine Feet of Quartz Ranging From \$100 to \$200 Is Uncovered

SONORA, Oct. 30.—The discovery of rich ore in the Omega mine marks the most important development in many months in the local mining field. The vein was encountered in the crosscut from the thirty-foot mine lately sunk from level No. 1, and shows a width of nine feet of splendid ore. Much of this averages \$100 to \$200 a ton in free-milling quartz, with considerable sulphurets also present. The Omega is worked under bond and option of Lange & Hunsey, understood to represent strong Eastern interests.

The noted Confidence mine, for many years one of the most consistent producers of Toluene county, is to be reopened and energetically operated by the Confidence Gold Mines Corporation.

The Nyman Mines Company has purchased the Santa Isabel group, after operating it under bond and option for a year.

At the Old Eureka mine, in the Sutter Creek district, a huge tank of 3000 gallons capacity has been installed on the 500 level to take care of water elevated to this point from deeper workings. It is proceeding satisfactorily, and the management is confident of starting active mining early in 1917.

big proved satisfactory, a further order of 500,000 gallons had been placed with the makers of the Owners-Drivers' Branch. It is claimed that the price for the substitute is 50 per cent below that for gasoline (regular), 57 cents a gallon, against 73 cents. It consists of 50 per cent of petrol and 50 per cent of chemicals, the nature of which is, however, kept secret.

"WETS" WILL RALLY HERE FRIDAY NIGHT

Plan Mass Meeting in Auditorium to Protest Dry Measures

To protest against the passage of amendments 1 and 2 at the polls on November 7, a big mass meeting of the "wets" under the auspices of the California Grape Protective association will take place in the municipal auditorium next Friday evening. The protective association will endeavor to show the extent of the grape industry in California by means of several reels of motion pictures, and will advance arguments for the protection of the wine and grape industry in this state.

James Madison, vice-president and general manager of the California Associated Raisin company, and prominently identified with the grape protective association, will be one of the principal speakers. Mrs. Addie M. Billings and Judge N. E. Clementson, but recently a Presbyterian minister, will also speak against the prohibition amendments.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 in the evening.

ROAD BOND VOTE BEING CANVASSED

LUMBER CO. SUES TO COLLECT BILL

The official canvass of votes cast last Tuesday at the county road bond election began yesterday before the supervisors. The task was not completed yesterday, but it is expected that the official count will be finished today.

THEFT CHARGE LAID TO YOUTH

Albert Georgian, 15-year-old son of George Georgian, 304 N. street, has been summoned to appear before Judge H. Z. Austin in the juvenile department of the superior court next Monday, to show cause why he should not be adjudged a ward of the court. The boy is accused of having stolen a bicycle seat from Kenneth Daniels, 2022 Tuolumne street, October 23.

WIDOW ASKS FOR ORDER OF COURT

Mrs. Margaret Maier Beveridge, widow of George P. Beveridge, former general manager of the California Wine Association, yesterday petitioned the superior court for letters testamentary. By the terms of the will Mrs. Beveridge was named executrix to serve without bonds.

THE LESSON

Prohibition's Record of Failure

(U. S. Statistical Abstracts, Table No. 290.)

Year	Number of "Dry" States	Per Capita Consumption In Gallons in the U. S.
1850	2	4.08
1860	8	6.43
1870	7	7.70
1880	6	8.79
1890	6	13.21
1900	5	17.76
1910	9	22.19
1914	11	22.50
1916*	18	21.00

* Approximated by Int. Rev. Dept. pending final returns.

The box statement above is re-published to make people THINK. Study it before voting on either of the Prohibition Amendments numbered 1 and 2 on the ballot.

Study it well before voting to destroy tens of millions worth of property values. Study it well before voting tens of thousands out of employment.

And after studying the above figures, remember this: (the proof is before you):

Between 1850 and 1916 (66 years), prohibition increased its area from 39,000 square miles (Maine and Vermont) to 1,100,000 square miles (18 states).

An INCREASE in AREA of 2900 PER CENT.

Was consumption reduced? Was it even retarded? Look at the figures of the government again.

During this same period instead of being lessened the per capita consumption INCREASED OVER 400 PER CENT—from 4 to 21 gallons.

No other argument is needed to show the absolute folly of such a destructive THEORY as prohibition.

No prohibitionist has ever been found who could answer the foregoing indictment against that THEORY.

No man or woman who THINKS can view these figures without realizing that during all this time when the tide of prohibition was rising

The consumption INSIDE prohibition limits INCREASED in exactly the same ratio as it did OUTSIDE.

That increase was the same in Kansas and Maine and in every prohibition state, as in any other state.

The lesson we learn then is this:

In 66 years prohibition has DESTROYED millions upon millions of property values and millions more of revenue.

It has not reduced the consumption of alcoholic beverages, one drop.

It HAS INCREASED the consumption of whiskey and the amount of drunkenness.

It HAS INCREASED the number of law breakers.

It has made criminals of THOUSANDS who would not normally violate a law.

It has brought into existence two ILLICIT dealers for every single legitimate business it has crushed.

Prohibition is not a question of drinking or of drunkenness. It is not a question of temperance or of intemperance.

It IS A QUESTION of whether this state shall destroy tens of millions to adopt a THEORY which at no time and in no place in all its 70 years of history has proven aught else but a TOTAL and ABSOLUTE FAILURE.

The prohibitionists KNOW IT and ADMIT IT. (See below.)

A Competent Witness

"Only harm can result in deceiving the public by charts which indicate a rapid advance in temperance legislation and by boastful statements about making the map all white, while we are doing nothing of the kind. The 1915 statistics show a total consumption practically equal to that of any previous year."

(American Prohibition Year Book, 1916, page 13)

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News From Central California

WOMAN ENDS LIFE WITH PISTOL SHOT

Mrs. Amelia Stewart Puts Bullet Into Heart From 38-Calibre Revolver

(Special to the Republican.)
BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 30.—Mrs. Amelia Stewart, aged 35 years, wife of Fred Stewart, a bartender, prominent in local circles, shot and killed herself in her room in a hotel here today. The fatal shot was heard by Stewart and a friend who was talking on the stairs. Rushing into the room the man found her lying on the floor. She had apparently sat on the edge of the bed, placed the revolver, a .38-Calibre, and called the trigger. Stewart and his wife were married last February, following a charge of having misappropriated money belonging to the woman. He was brought back from Los Angeles and the case was dismissed, following the marriage. Mrs. Stewart has relatives in Denville and Oakland. The police secured information that the couple had frequent quarrels over his drinking carousals.

BOOSTERS AT SELMA ATTEND BIG BANQUET

Annual Meeting of Chamber of Commerce Takes Place; Officers Chosen

SELMA, Oct. 30.—More than 100 men and women of this community gathered tonight for the annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce, which was served in Vincent hall. The banquet was preceded by a short business session of the members of the organization, at which directors were chosen for the coming year. Those elected were as follows: R. C. Gibson, W. Matlock, W. T. Finkler, R. E. Porter, J. H. Rogers, W. C. Freeland, S. H. Gill, C. V. Christensen, W. A. Hansen and P. H. Wright. The president will be chosen from this directorate by the members of the board. Plans for the extension of membership resulted in a new provision of the laws, which admits clubs to membership at a fee of \$1 a year when the firms for which they are working hold regular memberships. As a number of clubs have already signified their intention to join, it is expected that this will add a large membership. Farmers are also admitted for the same fee, and many are already actively working with the chamber.

At the banquet table, President Gibson reviewed the work of the past and briefly outlined some of the duties of the future. He was followed by Charles Edgemoor, principal of the city schools, who outlined the desirability of a lecture course through the university extension department. Assistance for this course will be rendered by the organization. W. H. Shaffer, the next speaker, spoke against the single tax amendment, which is a ballot at this election. M. G. Gallner, formerly resident of this city, followed with a further discussion of the same amendment, and also opposed the measure as proposed at this time, and stated that he did not think we were ready for such a revolutionary measure at this time. W. Vincent took the opposing side of the question, which precipitated a spirited, but friendly, discussion, and the meeting came to a close.

TO BEGIN LAYING CONDUIT SYSTEM

Sanger Is Soon to Have Modern Telephone System; Let Contract for Theater Building; Jottings

SANGER, Oct. 30.—The cables are being attached to the new switch board at the telephone building and work will soon be begun on the underground wire laying, which will take about one month, after which Sanger will boast of one of the most modern and best equipped telephone systems in the valley. Money has been spared in none of the departments.

M. Rogallo has let the contract to W. H. Mead to construct a fireproof theater building on the site of the present Bell theater, which will be wrecked to make room. The new building will be strictly modern in all respects.

Just A. Graham returned Sunday evening from a two months' trip to his old home near Green Bay, Michigan, where he spent the time visiting with his son and family and the friends of his younger days.

The Republican street meeting Saturday evening was well attended and there was more enthusiasm displayed than at any other meeting of a political nature that has been held in Sanger during the campaign. The singing of the quartet was particularly well received as well as the remarks from Mr. Peery.

The first entertainment of the lecture course was well received and the Friday evening, the high school auditorium being well filled by an appreciative audience. The next number will be on November 6.

LADY MACCABEES SEAT OFFICERS

The Ladies of the Maccabees have installed the following officers: Mrs. Brown, commander; Mrs. Hadley, lieutenant commander; Mrs. Conrow, president commander; Mrs. Campbell, chaplain; Mrs. Patton, sergeant; Mrs. Christian, record recorder; Mrs. Misch, finance auditor; Mrs. Green, lady at arms; Mrs. O'Hanlon, sentinel; Mrs. Hobbins, picket; Mrs. King, captain of guards.

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Tulare Ranchman Is Severely Gored by Infuriated Animal

TULARE, Oct. 30.—After having been knocked down and gored by an infuriated bull and having sustained a broken left shoulder and many painful bruises, Hugh Morrison, a well-known ranchman of this county, caught hold of the ring in the animal's nose and subdued it early this morning. Morrison was milking the bull from a manger in a field, when the animal knocked him several feet and gored him with its long horns. After having gained a hold on the ring with his right hand, Morrison regained his feet and tied the bull to a fence. He then went to his residence and a doctor was called. His left shoulder was broken in two places and he suffered cuts and bruises about his face, back and knee.

HOLD INQUEST INTO PORTERVILLE DEATH

Coroner's Jury Exonerates J. B. Dennis From Blame in Auto Accident

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 30.—The coroner's jury, of which George Christensen was the foreman, convened to inquire into the accident which caused the death of J. B. Dennis, brought in a verdict exonerating J. B. Dennis, Duroc rancher, of all blame in connection with the accident. Dennis, driving his automobile, collided with a vehicle being driven by Evans, as a result of which the Westfield rancher was thrown to the pavement and suffered a fractured skull, from which he died an hour later.

Funeral services for Mr. Evans were held this afternoon from the Murray undertaking parlors, and were in charge of the Modern Women's lodge. Interment was in the Home of Peace cemetery.

LATON W. C. T. U. TO GIVE CONTEST

LATON, Oct. 30.—There will be a musical program given by the local branch of the W. C. T. U. on Thursday evening, November 2, in the high school auditorium. The entertainment will be in the form of a silver medal contest in which the following contestants will participate:

"Please Vote, It Out"..... Ruth Hampton.

Special Music..... Ellwood Camp.

"The Little Prohibitionist"..... Henry Pickrell.

"No Cigarettes for Me"..... Henry Pickrell.

MUSIC.....

"When I Was a Little Boy"..... John Collins.

"A Boy's Boy"..... Oscar Thomas.

"Licensed"..... Evers Peterson.

MUSIC.....

"What Ruined Farmer Brown"..... Alice Hampton.

"A Case for Charles"..... Evelyn Gilstrap.

"Licensed to Sell or Little Blossom"..... Merle Pickrell.

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BANKING DEPARTMENT TO DISPOSE OF LAND

Holds 1,000 Acres of Japanese Colony in Vicinity of Livingston

LIVINGSTON, Oct. 30.—The state banking department has received one bid, or more, for the sale of 400 acres of those portions of Japanese Colonies which are under the control of the state. It is likely a sale will be made November 1, before Judge Robinson in San Francisco. The banking department holds about 100 of this land, through the liquidation of the Japanese-American colonies of San Francisco. Japanese Colonies, 1, 2 and 3, were placed on the market by the banking department about eight years ago, and about one-half the land was sold to Japanese, who still farm it. The Japanese colony has a perimeter of about 125 miles, and from an agricultural standpoint, is one of the show places of this section.

Under the law, when a bid is made, the banking department for land so held, this fact must be advertised and a date set for receiving any other bids that might be offered. It is understood the banking department is anxious to sell all the land, and this makes it probable that a bid will be accepted. The published advertisement does not give the name of the bidder.

PORTERVILLE TO GIVE ANNUAL FLOWER SHOW

Merchants Raise Liberal Sum; Athletics to Be Featured Saturday

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 30.—Merchants of Porterville today completed a liberal contribution to the funds of the Chamber of Commerce, to be devoted to expenses in connection with the annual flower show, which will be held Friday and Saturday of this week. This fund will be sufficient to handle all expenses in case of bad weather or other conditions which will interfere with attendance.

H. H. Davis has been placed in charge of the interior decorations, and H. E. Remmel has decorated plans for the construction of the various booths. While no special feature is to be made of chrysanthemums, all classes of flowers are to be exhibited.

Saturday is to be marked with a card of especially entertaining athletic events, of which a football game between Dinuba and Porterville will be a feature.

WOODLAKE NOTES

WOODLAKE, Oct. 30.—Mrs. Vernon Handley and son Bruce, left for Oakland Sunday morning. They will remain about the bay for several weeks, partially on business and to visit relatives.

Thomas H. Davis and Roy Davis returned from Santa Barbara, where they went with Mrs. Davis the week previous. Harry Crowley returned with them, but proceeded at once to San Francisco, where he has a position for the winter.

A. L. Thompson has made the first picking from his three-year-old olive trees on his 46-acre tract. He shipped three tons of olives and has not picked half the crop.

The ladies of the M. E. church will have an all-day meeting of the aid society on Friday, November 3. Aside from their sewing ladies will serve dinner at noon, to which all are invited.

Fred C. Scott delivered an interesting address at the M. E. church Monday night, under the auspices of the Thursday Club, on the subject of "California Laws Pertaining to Women." The lecture was thoroughly appreciated by a large audience.

E. L. Korn returned to his Los Angeles home Sunday morning, where he expects to remain until February, when he will return to Woodlake and complete the setting out of his ranch on the Oroqui road. He was accompanied on his trip by E. P. Stevenson, who has been in Woodlake looking after his mammoth emperor crane crop at Sentinel Butte.

Messrs. G. E. and Ross Palmer of Fowler, were guests at the A. E. Mason home last week.

I. Freeman and wife of Los Angeles, who have been guests at the Stone-Rucker home for the past two weeks, returned home Wednesday, accompanied by Mrs. Charles Stone and children, who will visit her sister for a time.

Births, Deaths and Marriages in the San Joaquin Valley

BORN
HAMPEL—In Colton, Oct. 28, 1916, to the wife of Wm. Hampel, a son.
HAMILIN—In Hanford, October 28, to the wife of George Hamlin, a son.

DIED
GRUBB—In Hanford, October 28, 1916, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Grubb, aged 1 day.

MARRIED
GOODRICH-HOWDEN—In Hanford, Willie Goodrich to Annie E. Howden, Rev. W. N. Fletcher officiating.
BAGLEY-PEACH—In Hanford, Rev. Jonathan Bagley of Lemoore to Mattie Peach of Selma, Rev. Brown officiating.

RICE HARVEST BEGINS IN CORCORAN SECTION

Tract of 2,000 Acres Will Yield Growers About 30 Sacks to Acre

HANFORD, Oct. 30.—Harvesting is now in full swing in the rice fields of Corcoran, Alhambra and Sps. It is estimated that about 2,000 acres are in rice in those districts altogether. The majority of the ranchers anticipate harvesting about thirty sacks to the acre, an average this season. Most of them are well satisfied with their crops, but they anticipate getting higher production when more experienced. As it is, they will net in the neighborhood of \$50 per acre and in many instances from land that will produce another crop, as much as it contains alkali.

The crop is harvested with a self-blinder, with a gasoline engine attached to drive the blinder part, as the drag has been found too heavy on the soggy ground if it is left to the team to do everything.

Some of the ranchers claim to be heavy losers owing to the ducks getting into the rice crop, and thousands of shots have been fired at them during the last three months to keep the ducks away.

POPULAR RAISIN CITY GIRL BECOMES BRIDE

United in Wedlock With S. W. Fike of Fresno; Brief News Notes

RAISIN CITY, Oct. 30.—The first society event of the season occurred Saturday evening, when Miss Ida Flickinger, an accomplished and popular young lady of this place, became the bride of Samuel W. Fike, a successful young business man of Fresno. The announcement of the wedding came as a surprise to the young people's many friends. The wedding, at which only relatives were present, was solemnized at the bride's home.

The color scheme was pink and white. A beautiful arch was made and decorated with greenery and pink and white roses. Miss Elizabeth Flickinger, a sister, attended the bride, and Willis Gilbert was best man. The bride's two little nieces, Dorothy and Kathryn Flickinger, were the flower girls. After the ceremony, which was said by Rev. Stover of Fresno, the bride party repaired to the dining room, where a turkey dinner was served. Many beautiful and useful presents were given. The dinner and congratulations over, the young couple set out for San Francisco, where they will spend two or three weeks. After their return they will make their home for the present with S. S. Flickinger, the bride's father.

Mrs. E. W. Vinton is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Lucy Ditz of Elkhardt, Ind. Mrs. Ditz, although quite an old lady, drives her own car, and only last year motored through from California to Reno, where she is attractive to her, and she plans each year to spend a few months in the state.

The basket social held Thursday evening proved a big success. A good sum was realized, nearly enough to pay out on the new piano, after buying a full supply of athletic paraphernalia. Paul Mundt was auctioneer.

Miss Felice Pyers, a normal student, spent Friday in the local school gathering data for her work. Miss Pyers is a sister of Mrs. Martha Pyers, who had charge of the intermediate division here last year.

J. J. Garner has located a place at Laton and is moving to his new home. The ladies of the Methodist church gave a chicken pie supper at the Rose Hall Saturday evening. A large attendance was present and the receipts were very gratifying.

Miss Helen Divine, who is attending the Fresno normal, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents here.

FOWLER JOTTINGS
FOWLER, Oct. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blackwell and children of Exeter, were guests yesterday at the J. McClurg home.

SUES TO RECOVER ON BIG GRAIN CONTRACT

Grain Buyer Seeks Fulfillment of Crop Delivery; Brief News Notes

MERCED, Oct. 30.—A complaint was filed here today by H. C. Thompson, a grain and fruit buyer of Modesto, against E. L. Norris and H. D. Wucher of Livingston for alleged breach of contract. Thompson contends that the defendants' failure to deliver 1000 sacks of Egyptian corn, according to contract, damaged him to the extent of \$450. The plaintiff seeks by this action to recover that sum and the costs of the suit. H. L. Chamberlain of Modesto is Thompson's attorney.

Lorenzo Belasco, a Mexican, convicted of assault with a deadly weapon on Frank Henderson, was sentenced by Judge Reeder today to eighteen months in Folsom state prison. Belasco attacked Henderson with a butcher knife, slashing his arm badly. An interlocutory decree of divorce was granted today to Mrs. Mary Olson from John Olson, both of Los Banos. Extreme cruelty was the basis of the action.

GLASS TO SPEAK AT MEETING IN MADERA

Will Address Democrats at Rally to Be Held There Wednesday Night

MADERA, Oct. 30.—William Glass, business manager of the Fresno Republican, will speak at a meeting to be held Wednesday evening, in which he will urge the voters to help re-elect Woodrow Wilson as President. The meeting will be held at the corner of Yosemite avenue and D street. It is planned to give Glass a warm welcome, as he has many friends in Madera who will be glad of the opportunity to hear him.

BRIEF EXETER NEWS JOTTINGS

EXETER, Oct. 30.—Dr. Osbourne of Long Beach is the house guest of her old friend, Mrs. Fred Gill this week. The Halloween party which Mrs. William Calote gave to the members of the Presbyterian Aid Society Friday afternoon was a pleasing affair in every way and was attended by about fifty of the finest young people of the city. The living emblems of the occasion, large black cats, witches, and pumpkin men were out from paper and hung from the curtains, the mantle board and the chandeliers, while the electric lights shone through shades of yellow and black. Marigolds added beauty to the yellow scheme of decoration. After a business meeting the ladies all drew favors from a large hollow pumpkin. These favors consisted of candles tied in yellow and black packages, a paper and pencil. Two numbers, one and twenty-three were among the favors, and their winners were rewarded by appropriate gifts. The fortunate ladies were Mesdames C. L. Burnett and D. R. Griffith. The ladies then wrote verses upon their papers, their themes being the lady on the left. The reading of these poems occasioned great merriment. Upon due deliberation of the judges Mrs. E. P. Stephens' poem was declared the best and she was chosen president of a pretty bunch of marigolds. Refreshments consisted of pumpkin pie, cake and coffee.

Messrs. Russ and Casen Avery of Los Angeles are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Quinn of Loma Vista.

Mrs. William Jehant and little son Billy, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Egge for the past two weeks, left Friday for Bakersfield, where they will make their home for the present. The little boy has been quite ill while here but was able to make the trip.

Dr. J. C. Paine has recently purchased the pretty bungalow on Crespi avenue, Loma Vista Park, where his family have been living for the past year. A Perkins of Fresno was the owner.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Pinkham and Roy Pinkham of Los Angeles, who have been in Exeter for some months, caring for their extensive fruit interests here, will leave this week for their home to vote.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Burnett were Fresno visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bentley and family visited in Exeter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Quinn and family of Seattle and Messrs. Russ and Casen Avery of Los Angeles were Delano visitors Sunday.

BRIEF CORCORAN PERSONAL NOTES

CORCORAN, Oct. 30.—A. V. Taylor of Hanford was a Corcoran visitor Saturday.

Kenneth Barton of Laton spent the week-end with friends here.

The Halloween dance given Friday evening by the Thursday Club was a success. The hall was decorated in orange and black, and coffee and pumpkin pie were served at 12 o'clock. Ruth Sherwin of San Francisco is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. George Sherwin.

Lindsay Minister Is Given \$10 Fine For Speeding His Auto

MODESTO, Oct. 30.—Rev. J. J. Hoslick, Presbyterian minister of Lindsay, was in such a hurry to reach Berkeley last week to attend the synod of the church that he violated speed regulations on the state highway between Modesto and Salina. He paid a fine of \$10 in the court of Justice Rice Saturday, who believed that the synod might have waited when it became necessary for the minister to speed. Motor Officer Huls, who made the arrest, reported that, aside from speeding, the minister was driving in a very reckless manner.

PORTERVILLE PIANIST GETS TEN YEAR TERM

Edgar Trueman Pancoast Pleads Guilty to Forgery in Iowa

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 30.—According to word which was received here yesterday from Red Oak, Iowa, Edgar Trueman Pancoast, former musician of this city, and leader in one of the church choirs, arrested in San Francisco for forgery committed here, was sentenced to ten years in the Iowa state penitentiary following his plea of guilty to a similar charge there. The Iowa authorities asked that Pancoast be returned to them, and while he was being returned to that state the grand jury met and returned an indictment. Pancoast went into the court room on the day of his arrival, was given his sentence and within a few hours was lodged in prison.

CLOVIS WOMEN TO AID WILSON

Mrs. S. L. Wiley met with fifty-two women of Clovis yesterday afternoon and organized an All Parties Woodrow Wilson League. Mrs. George Carr presided at the meeting, and was chosen president of the new organization. Mrs. James Arbuckle was elected secretary. The members of the league hope to more than double their membership between now and election time. A special campaign will be launched at once for new members who are going to support Wilson on November 7.

IMPORTS FANCY HOGS

VISALIA, Oct. 30.—John P. Walker of Visalia has ordered from the East an entire net strain of the finest pure blood Duroc-Jersey hogs, which he is importing to his ranch near Visalia for breeding and show purposes. Walker is among the several new ranchers of the community who believe in having only the finest bred stock.

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PATTON ADDRESSES KINGS DEMOCRATS

Senatorial Aspirant Talks at Hanford; Lauds Wilson Administration

HANFORD, Oct. 30.—George S. Patton, candidate for United States senator on the Democratic ticket, addressed an audience here this evening at the opera house in support of his own candidacy and that of President Wilson. Patton reviewed the legislation of the Democratic administration since President Wilson took office, saying that its achievements in all lines more than warranted the return of the Democrats to office at the November election. Charles King introduced Patton and acted as chairman of the meeting.

SUES NURSERY FIRM

VISALIA, Oct. 30.—Flooding & Wool, Fresno nurseryman, must file answer to the suit of Charlie Lee, who claims they sent him trees which were not the kind of stock he had asked for, and which he did not discover until they had been planted and grown for a couple of years. Today the court overruled a demurrer and granted the firm fifteen days in which to file its answer to the damage action.

FORMER EASTON MAN WEDS BERKELEY GIRL

Harry Hanson Is United in Wedlock With Miss Mildred McAneny

EASTON, Oct. 30.—News has been received here of the wedding of Harry Hanson, son of a prominent vineyardist of Elm avenue, near Washington Union high school, and Miss Mildred McAneny, daughter of H. D. McAneny, formerly professor in Drake university at Des Moines, Iowa, and later president of the Theological seminary of Berkeley. The wedding took place in Oakland on Wednesday of last week at the home of W. C. Gebhardt, a uncle of the bride. The groom is a graduate of the Easton high school and was prominent in athletics in that school. The bride is a graduate of the Inglewood high school. The young couple will be at home in Atwater after November 1.

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Ray W. Baker, Sec.

FRESNO LODGE No. 247, F. M. C.
A. M. Stated meetings every Friday in each month. Communications Friday.

FRESNO LODGE 134, K. of C.
Wednesday evening
O. W. Hall, Visiting Knight
welcome. F. A. Mack, C.
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PARTY who took Helen a Stag

- B** - Born from south at 2012 St.
- N** - Northern name. No question.
- R** - Rubber tree boat, between Point Loma, Dudley and Eastlamp, 2012 St., Phone 267-82. Record.
- S** - Small brown shell record on Fresno street, at Little L. P. J.
- T** - Tally record 1967-J and receive mail.
- NEAR MARIPOSA** - Sept. 18th
- I** - I black spotted oak, answers it
- P** - "Puffer," while spot on breast
- M** - Mammal, from the same location leading to MS recovery
- D** - D. Walton, Box 157, Fellows, Cal.
- DEGLAIS** record for information
- M** - Motor No. 1327, C. W. Clary
- C** - Calif avenue.
- I** - Pair gentlemen's trousers
- D** - Dark hanger and braces. Return

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REPUBLICANS WILL HOLD FINAL MEETINGS

Speakers Are to Be Sent to Many Towns of Fresno County

Banquet Monday Night For Phillips; Big Rally at Auditorium

The final week of the Presidential campaign will be a lively one for the Republican County Central Committee and Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights will be devoted to a number of meetings throughout the county. Republican speakers will visit different towns and urge the adoption of the Republican ticket from Hughes down to the assemblymen. The Republican rallies will end Monday night with a meeting in the Fresno auditorium at which W. W. Phillips, Republican candidate for Congress, will make the principal speech.

Announcement of the following meetings was made yesterday by the Republican County Central committee: Thursday—Patterson—E. A. Williams. Kernville—Ernest Klette. Kernman—Speaker not selected. Olander—A. W. Carlson. Temperance Colony—Speaker not selected. Friday—Fowler—E. A. Williams. Davis—A. M. Drew. Madison—A. W. Carlson. Scandinavian, Wolters and National Colonies, joint meeting—Ernest Klette. Saturday—Riverdale—A. W. Carlson. Kingsburg—Ernest Klette. Burrow—E. A. Williams. Kutner, American and Eggers Colonies, joint meeting at Kutner—B. W. Dearhart and Chase Osborn, Jr. Carlson will speak Saturday night at the Riverdale and Caruthers meetings. Other speakers will be selected so that Carlson will be able to travel between the two towns. About one hundred friends and supporters of Phillips have arranged for a banquet Monday night at the Hughes hotel. Arthur M. Free, district attorney from Santa Clara county, will be the speaker at the banquet. This meeting will precede the Republican rally at the auditorium. After the banquet an automobile parade will be formed in front of the Hughes hotel and Phillips will be escorted to the auditorium for the meeting. L. T. Lockhart will be grand marshal of the parade. The procession will go down I street to Merced, thence to J, thence to Tulare, thence to L and to the auditorium. Phillips will speak tonight in Coalinga; Wednesday in Reedley; Thursday in Selma; Friday afternoon in Hanford; Friday night in Letmore; and Saturday in Bakersfield.

GOOD PRICES ON VALLEY FRUIT

San Joaquin valley fruit continues to demand good prices on the eastern section markets. The California fruit distributors, through H. M. Ellis, report the following sales for yesterday: Cleveland two cars grossing \$325 and

Pumpkins Are Saved; Hallowe'en Spoiled; Rothe Proves Hero

To the vigilance of Gustav Rothe, chamber of commerce publicity man, does the county commercial board owe thanks today for the fact that its successful display of pumpkins still remains on exhibition in the lobby of the C. O. building. And to this same watchfulness is responsible the failure of several streeturchins to make off with a few pumpkins. Hallowe'en night without a goblin's head carved out of a pumpkin is like Christmas eve without a Santa Claus. All youngsters know this, and when "goblin" passed the chamber of commerce hall and noticed the array of beautiful pumpkins, apparently unwatched, it gathered under the window of Rothe's office and hatched out a nice scheme for making off with the lot. It was planned for several of the youngsters to start a fight in the middle of the street and while this was in progress the others would enter the building through the west door and help themselves to the choicest pumpkins. The fight followed and the would-be thieves entered the building, but instead of finding the lobby empty, they came upon Rothe and one of Rothe's finest. No pumpkins were taken.

SARA BARD FIELD WILL SPEAK HERE

Will Tell Women Voters Why Hughes Should Be Elected

Mrs. Sara Bard Field, who is campaigning in behalf of the election next Tuesday of Charles Evans Hughes, will address the women of Fresno on Saturday afternoon in the banquet hall of the Hotel Fresno. Mrs. Field's address here will be on the reasons for the organization of the National Women's party and why women voters are being urged to cast their ballots in favor of Hughes. Mrs. Field was scheduled to speak in Fresno a few weeks ago, but it became necessary to cancel the engagement because of illness. Mrs. Field was in Washington last year and will talk of her many interviews with President Wilson and her attempt to have him use his influence for the federal amendment. Miss Mildred Gilbert is here from San Francisco arranging for the meeting, and is being assisted by Mrs. George Taylor, Mrs. L. C. Corry, Mrs. W. J. McNulty, Mrs. S. S. Hockett and Mrs. Anna Newman.

ASSAULT CHARGE LAID TO THREE

Harry Taylor, 730 L street, last evening caused the arrest of three men, Albert Rosales, B. Degradia and P. Cupcup, on a warrant accusing them of battery. Taylor told the police that the trio assaulted him without just cause at G and Tulare streets. The warrants were served by Police-man Trusdell. \$1131; Pittsburg two cars, \$1050 and \$1087; Chicago three cars, \$1087, \$1072 and \$1044; Boston seven cars, \$1494, \$3084, \$1020, \$982, \$972, \$1057 and \$1102; New York 15 cars, \$1137, \$1134, \$1105, \$1016, \$1022, \$1035, \$1240, \$1161, \$1062, \$1024, \$1020, \$1098, \$1082, \$1258 and \$1011; Baltimore one car, \$1025; Cincinnati one car, \$1173.

FRESNO SCHOOLS TO OFFER LESSONS ON VIOLIN

Pupils Will Have Instruction in Music at Nominal Cost

Plan to Form Orchestras in Intermediate Grade Schools

In keeping with the most modern methods in schools of the larger cities of the country, a system has been inaugurated in Fresno city school whereby pupils in the intermediate schools will be able to secure instruction in instrumental music at a nominal cost. The board of education has made arrangements with Will C. Hays, a violin teacher of this city, to give instruction on the violin to classes in the intermediate schools of about ten pupils each. The work will be done outside of school hours in a study period and will not be a regular part of the school curriculum, but credit will be given the pupils for the work done. J. H. Lyons, musical director of the schools, will have supervision over the instruction. The plan prove successful, instruction in other instruments will be offered. It is the idea of the schools department to eventually develop an orchestra in each school. Nominal Charges Is Made. A charge of 25 cents per pupil per lesson will be made by the instructor, if three or more classes are formed in any one school the price will be but 20 cents per lesson per pupil. The low price as compared with individual instruction is made possible by the instruction being given in classes, and an arrangement whereby the instruction may be given in the school. In addition to the small rate for lessons, arrangements have been made with local music dealers whereby the cost of instruments will be materially lessened. Violins that sell for \$15 will be sold to pupils for \$8, those selling for \$20 may be had by pupils for \$12, and instruments worth \$25 for \$15. Instruction books, costing 50 cents, may be had by pupils for 35 cents. Will Organize Orchestras. The pupils in the different classes in instrumental music will be organized into an orchestra under the supervision of J. H. Lyons, director of music in Fresno schools, and time for practice will be arranged so as to not interfere with regular school work. It is believed by the music supervisor that class instruction in stringed music is necessary to train the pupils to undertake the orchestral work. A part of the plan is to develop larger orchestras in the Fresno schools and to make it possible for a much larger number of pupils to learn to play on stringed instruments. Circular letters were sent out yesterday by Superintendent C. C. Starr to all parents having children in the intermediate schools. The answers to the letter are not due until the end of the week, so it is not known as yet how many will enroll in the classes. The superintendent declares that much interest in the plan has been expressed by the pupils, and that undoubtedly a large number of pupils will enroll. Should the plan prove a success, instruction will be offered in other instruments. Superintendent Starr said last night.

ROWELL LEAVES TO AID IN CAMPAIGN

Chairman of State Republican Committee to Make Two Addresses

Chester H. Rowell, chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, left last night for San Francisco, to be gone the remainder of the week. He will do very little speaking because of the amount of executive work to be attended to before the election next Tuesday. Thursday Rowell will speak here in the "Union Club" in San Francisco, and Saturday night he will be one of the principal speakers at the close of the campaign rally in the Trinity auditorium in Los Angeles.

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Y. W. C. A. to Start A Gymnasium Class For "Fleshy Women"

In keeping with its policy of social service work, the Y. W. C. A. is to inaugurate a "fleshy women" gymnasium class. The only qualification for membership is that the applicant weigh sufficient to make it necessary or desirable to reduce. "It is essential," according to the announcement, "that the applicant weigh 150 pounds or more." The Y. W. C. A. directors fear that should a woman weighing less than 150 become enrolled in the class the strenuous exercises that will be prescribed would prove more harmful than beneficial. The course is guaranteed to make husky—not to say "stout"—ladies slim and graceful, and from the applications that have been coming in, directors of the Y. W. C. A. are seriously considering the necessity of a specially equipped gymnasium for use as anti-obesity parlours.

DRY PEOPLE PLAN FOR ACTIVE WEEK

Dr. Chas. F. Aked Speaks Here Thursday; Mass Meeting Sunday

An active week of campaigning here for "California Dry" is planned by local directors of the California Campaign Federation. Dr. Charles F. Aked of San Francisco will speak here Thursday evening, and on Sunday evening a big union mass meeting of the congregations of all Fresno churches will be held in the Municipal Auditorium.

Dr. Aked, well known as a Congregational pastor in New York and San Francisco and as one of the Port Peace commission, is declared to be one of the strongest speakers of all the prohibition staff. The former pastor draws the largest audiences of all in San Francisco, according to Dr. D. M. Gandler, superintendent of the California Campaign Federation. Dr. Aked speaks on the moral and economic sides of the prohibition question. He will be heard here Thursday evening in the auditorium. Supplementing the prohibition parade which was scheduled for Saturday afternoon, the local managers of the prohibition forces yesterday decided to devote all their energies toward a big demonstration Sunday afternoon. To be followed by a mass meeting of all churches in the auditorium in the evening, at which time J. Ritt Wilson, former Socialist mayor of Berkeley and now one of the strongest prohibition speakers, will address the meeting. Efforts have been made for some time to secure a return engagement of Wilson, who was scheduled to be followed by a mass meeting of all churches in the auditorium in the evening, at which time J. Ritt Wilson, former Socialist mayor of Berkeley and now one of the strongest prohibition speakers, will address the meeting. Efforts have been made for some time to secure a return engagement of Wilson, who was scheduled to be followed by a mass meeting of all churches in the auditorium in the evening, at which time J. Ritt Wilson, former Socialist mayor of Berkeley and now one of the strongest prohibition speakers, will address the meeting.

WANT GROWERS TO PLANT CURRANTS

Govt. Wants to Make a Commercial Test of Industry Here

With the object of interesting Fresno vineyardists and farmers in the planting of currant stocks for the purpose of making a commercial test, George C. Hummann, pomologist in charge of viticulture in the United States department of agriculture, arrived in Fresno last night. Several pieces of property of different sizes will be selected by Hummann during the next few days, and pieces of three or five acres will be planted with the stock raised at the experimental station at the Fresno vineyard. "Personally, I am satisfied that the production of currants for commercial purposes will prove successful," said Hummann. "We have taken good crops from the three acres planted at the Fresno vineyard and have also been successful at our Oakville farm, and have not decided on any particular ranches in this district. I hope to have local growers volunteer to supply me with small pieces of land which we will plant with our stock. The crop, of course, will be harvested by the grower.

"As president of the United States is importing forty-five million pounds of currants annually. The industry has never been taken up strongly in this country, but we are hopeful of interesting the farmers in the proposition, and I feel sure that it will be an immense success."

Speaking of the new disease reported from Tulare county as having worked much injury among grapes vines there, Hummann stated that the report of the disease had reached his office, but that up to this time no steps had been taken by him to investigate the cause.

"As soon as I finish with the current stock planting, I will look into the new disease reported," he said. "So far I have no ideas concerning it."

ANDREWS IN CHARGE OF CAMPBELL ESTATE

Property of Late Judge Again Involved in Court Action

George R. Andrews, Fresno, yesterday was appointed special administrator of the estate of the late Judge J. R. Campbell. The appointment of Andrews or anyone else except Frank C. Campbell, an adopted son of the deceased judge, was opposed by Attorney S. L. Strother. Frank C. Campbell was named executor in the will filed for probate sometime ago. (Arch B. Campbell, son of Judge Campbell, said that it was the wish of his mother and himself that an entire and disinterested party be appointed administrator until the present litigation over the estate has been settled in court. Andrews furnished bonds in the sum of \$5,000 and qualified as special administrator.

Kutner's Pay You Dividends on Every Purchase

A Mistake —In Sunday's ad we stated Monday would be the last day Kaverall would be sold at 75c pair. This was a mistake, as today is the last day. After that they will be sold at 85c pair.

A Belated New York Shipment of Hallowe'en Novelties —ARRIVED YESTERDAY, and if you are in need of Hallowe'en favors, etc., you'll find a wonderful variety here to select from. —Large and small lanterns, 10c and 15c. Noise makers, 10c. Horns, 2c and 10c. —Stick pins, 2 for 5c—3c each and 5c each. —Big assortment of masks, 10c and 15c each.—Caps, 10c and 15c. —Witches—pumpkins—black cats, etc.

\$25 Suit Week at Kutner's and Stunning Values and Styles Are Featured



—It just takes a crisp, bright day or two to make a woman realize how many things she needs for winter, and to set her to wondering why she didn't attend to them sooner, so she could thoroughly enjoy the bright, fresh days—for no woman really enjoys herself in last year's clothes. Hundreds will find satisfaction today among these:

Plain and Fur Trimmed Cloth Suits at \$25 —Of broadcloth, gabardine, whipcord, wool velour and diagonal cloth; made with medium and long coats, some flared, some belted, some on plain, straight lines. And all with those great collars that are equally charming worn broad and flat across the shoulders, or crushed up close to the chin.

Blanket Time Is Now and Here's the Very Best —COTTON BLANKETS 95c—Single bed size gray sheet blankets. —WOOL NAP BLANKETS, \$2.25—Full sized gray blankets; splendid finish; heavy and warm. —SEACON PLAIDS, \$4.50—Truly a wonderful blanket value. The colors are pleasing and guaranteed perfectly fast.

New Sweater Coats \$5.95 —Brilliantly colored angora coats for women—red—green—black and white with blue trim and broad striped blue and white—some have scarves—all have deep, wide belts and pockets—Price \$5.95.

Open a Charge Account —With us this coming month. We solicit the accounts of respectable people and would like you to call and see our credit man in regard to opening up one with us.

Clever New Millinery By "Pauline Fornay"

—This clever young designer is especially good in her designs this season and we are featuring a great many of her models at \$5.95 and \$7.50. —Mostly in very smart sailor shapes—all varieties of brim and crown—for the stylish young girl. —Turban and smaller hats for matrons. —And the smartest tricornes and four-cornered hats.

Master Made Shoes at Kutner's Styles for Men and Women

—These shoes are made by skilled workmen in styles that have given foot comfort to thousands of men and women in America—Try a pair and judge of their luxurious comfort for yourself. —Men's gunmetal and blucher master-made shoes—round toe last, \$4.50. —Men's tan Russian calf, master-made English shoe—very snappy last, \$5.50. —Woman's vic kid button and lace hi-cut shoe—extension sole—plain toe, \$4.50. —Woman's gray kid lace—8-in. button shoe—pointed toe last—extension sole, \$4.85.

"Faultless" Pajamas for Men and Boys \$1 to \$2

—These chilly nights call for warmer sleeping garments, and here are truly luxurious sleeping garments. —Men's one or two piece pajamas of soft, good quality—outing flannel; various colors and stripes—fastened with silk frogs, \$1.25 to \$2.00 pair. —Boys' pajamas—one or two piece styles—\$1.00 and \$1.25.

New Hand Painted China

—A very lovely new shipment of hand-painted china has just been received in our Crockery Dept. —There are the prettiest of bread and butter plates at \$1.00 each—and salad plates at \$1.25—dessert plates, \$1.50—cake plates up to \$3.00 each—spoon trays, \$2.00—bun dishes, \$1.75 and \$2.00—spoon trays, \$2.00—vases \$2.50 and \$3.00—cream and sugar sets, \$5.00—and many other pieces at equally reasonable prices.

Wash-Rite Gloves \$2.50

—This is a favorable time to learn about the famous Wash-Rite Gloves at \$2.50 pair. —They have one-clasp and are the most durable gloves we know of at the price and are guaranteed to wash perfectly. —(Glove Dept.)



Groceries

—White Egyptian Corn, \$2.00 cwt. by the sack. —3 lb. cans Rumford Baking Powder, 65c can. —Jet Oil Shoe Polish, 2 for 15c. —50c bottles Wait's Lemon Extract, 40c bottle. —Japan Type Rice; good quality, 5c lb.; 22 lbs., \$1.00. —Phone 3700.

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Many Different Varieties

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ROWELL LEAVES TO AID IN CAMPAIGN

Chairman of State Republican Committee to Make Two Addresses

Chester H. Rowell, chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, left last night for San Francisco, to be gone the remainder of the week. He will do very little speaking because of the amount of executive work to be attended to before the election next Tuesday. Thursday Rowell will speak here in the "Union Club" in San Francisco, and Saturday night he will be one of the principal speakers at the close of the campaign rally in the Trinity auditorium in Los Angeles.

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WANT GROWERS TO PLANT CURRANTS

Govt. Wants to Make a Commercial Test of Industry Here

With the object of interesting Fresno vineyardists and farmers in the planting of currant stocks for the purpose of making a commercial test, George C. Hummann, pomologist in charge of viticulture in the United States department of agriculture, arrived in Fresno last night. Several pieces of property of different sizes will be selected by Hummann during the next few days, and pieces of three or five acres will be planted with the stock raised at the experimental station at the Fresno vineyard. "Personally, I am satisfied that the production of currants for commercial purposes will prove successful," said Hummann. "We have taken good crops from the three acres planted at the Fresno vineyard and have also been successful at our Oakville farm, and have not decided on any particular ranches in this district. I hope to have local growers volunteer to supply me with small pieces of land which we will plant with our stock. The crop, of course, will be harvested by the grower.

"As president of the United States is importing forty-five million pounds of currants annually. The industry has never been taken up strongly in this country, but we are hopeful of interesting the farmers in the proposition, and I feel sure that it will be an immense success."

Speaking of the new disease reported from Tulare county as having worked much injury among grapes vines there, Hummann stated that the report of the disease had reached his office, but that up to this time no steps had been taken by him to investigate the cause.

"As soon as I finish with the current stock planting, I will look into the new disease reported," he said. "So far I have no ideas concerning it."

ANDREWS IN CHARGE OF CAMPBELL ESTATE

Property of Late Judge Again Involved in Court Action

George R. Andrews, Fresno, yesterday was appointed special administrator of the estate of the late Judge J. R. Campbell. The appointment of Andrews or anyone else except Frank C. Campbell, an adopted son of the deceased judge, was opposed by Attorney S. L. Strother. Frank C. Campbell was named executor in the will filed for probate sometime ago. (Arch B. Campbell, son of Judge Campbell, said that it was the wish of his mother and himself that an entire and disinterested party be appointed administrator until the present litigation over the estate has been settled in court. Andrews furnished bonds in the sum of \$5,000 and qualified as special administrator.

BUSINESS WOMEN CLUB WILL MEET THURSDAY

Bi-weekly Dinner, Business Meeting and Program at Y. W. C. A.

The Fresno Business Women's club of the Y. W. C. A. will hold its regular bi-weekly dinner, business meeting and program Thursday evening at the Y. W. C. A. building. A hot dinner will be served at 6 p. m. by the refreshments committee, of which Miss Edith Riley is chairman. At 7 o'clock a short business meeting will be held, to be followed by the second of a series of talks on parliamentary law by Miss Alta Hall.

A program consisting of banjo and mandolin solos by S. L. Polito, numbers by the Y. W. C. A. orchestra, an interpretation of Galsworthy's "The Little Man," by Mrs. Geo. E. Ecker, and a short literary interpretation of sacred writings by Miss Mabel Wann will be rendered. All intending to be present at the dinner are asked to telephone, Miss Maude Wolff, general secretary of the Y. W. C. A., stating the number of reservations desired. Every business girl of Fresno has the opportunity of becoming a member of the Business Women's club until that time the registration of members reaches 200.

FILING DEEDS ON HENRIETTA TRACT

Financiers to Purchase 32,000 Acres on West Side

A few deeds for the sale of West Side land at Henrietta on the Coalinga branch of the Southern Pacific railroad have been placed on file with the county recorder, and this confirms the previous reports that the W. J. Moody and the Allen interests will purchase the 32,000-acre tract. Title to many of the deeds are now being examined at the San Joaquin Abstract Company, W. E. Blake, who is interested in the deal, is expected here this week.

ROTARIANS LEARN OF RESERVE BANK

An interesting talk on the workings of the Federal reserve bank was made yesterday by Roy Pulliam, cashier of the First National Bank of Fresno, at the weekly luncheon of the Rotary Club. Pulliam took up practically the entire session, explaining in detail the machinery of the bank and casting a clear light on the intricate technicalities of the Federal banking system.

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